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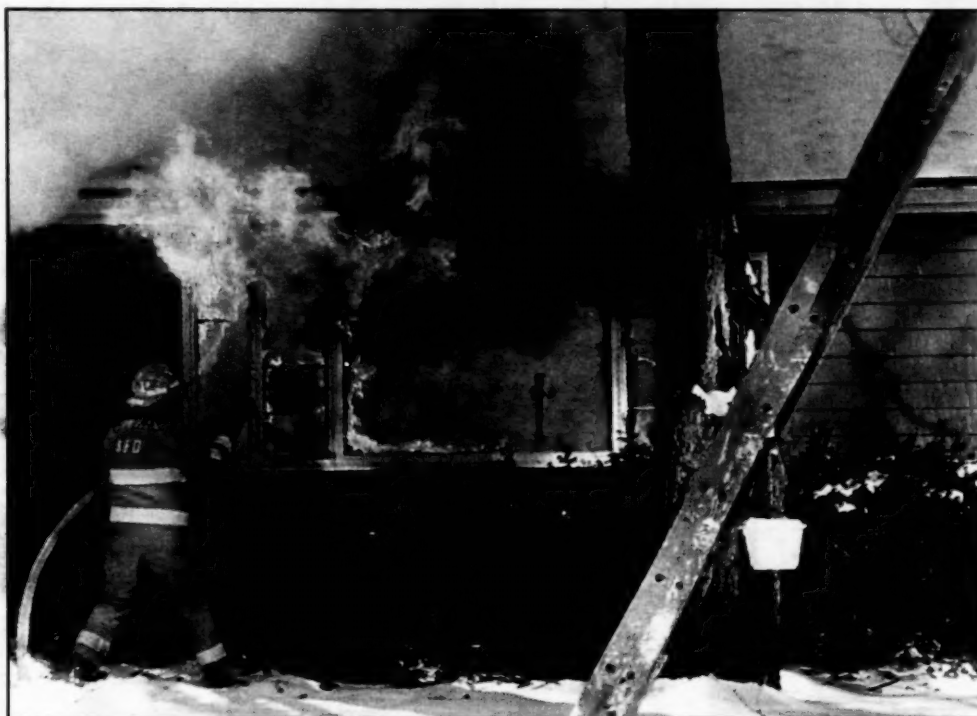


Photo by Andover Detective Sgt. Kevin Winters

Andover firefighter Lt. Sandy Poulin sprays water on a house fire Monday at 66 Cross St. The historic house, built in 1780, may be completely destroyed, according to the owner's daughter.

Historic house gutted by fire

By Don Staruk

A fire sparked by a woodstove ripped through a house at 66 Cross St. Monday morning, killing a cat, injuring a dog and gutting the house. Richard J. Bonier, the only resident of the house, was not at home at the time of the 10 a.m. fire.

The house, built in 1780 by Colonel Lovejoy, may not be salvageable, according to Frances Downing, Mr. Bonier's daughter. She said contractors looked at it after the fire.

"They have a feeling they aren't going to be able to save it," she said Tuesday. "We hoped it would be restorable. There's quite a lot of heat and smoke damage."

Her father has lived in the house since

1964. It may once have been used as a stop on the Underground Railroad in the 1800s, according to the Andover Historical Society.

Nancy Mutch, of 61 Cross St., called the fire department after seeing smoke coming from the chimney and area around the chimney of the house. By the time firefighters arrived a few moments later, the one story addition to the two-story, Cape-style house was fully involved in fire.

"The main body of fire was in the single-story, east end of the structure, extending into the main two-story portion of the building," Deputy Fire Chief Robert Boush said.

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Gary Coon to quit, Barry Finegold to run

By Don Staruk

Denying that he has any specific plans for the future, Rep. Gary M. Coon, R-Andover, said Tuesday he will not seek re-election to a fourth term in the state House of Representatives. Barry Finegold, Andover selectman who considered a run against Rep. Coon last year, has already thrown his hat into the ring for the soon-to-be

vacated House seat.

"Yes. I'm running," Mr. Finegold said Wednesday morning.

In making his announcement Tuesday morning, Rep. Coon said, "I do not have any plans to run for elected office in 1996." But he said he would not "foreclose any opportunities or future challenges" or appointed positions "in government, the pri-

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Committee creates list of possible add-back items for AHS with \$2.8M article

By Neil Fater

Running track reconstruction, new windows, motorized shades and portable bleachers in the new gym may be added back into the Andover High School construction project with the funds from the up-to-\$2.8 million April Town Meeting warrant article.

A still-developing list of what could be considered for inclusion again in the construction program was created Tuesday by

a subcommittee of the School Building Committee.

Included in this list of "latest thoughts" was nearly \$1.4 million for contingency funds, equal to the original contingency amount when the project started. According to the list, members are also considering adding back:

- \$268,500 to reconstruct the outdoor running track;
- \$263,000 to replace old win-

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Townsmen wins two NEPA awards

The *Townsmen* picked up first- and third-place awards at the New England Press Association's Better Newspaper Contest banquet last Friday night, Feb. 2, at the Marriott Copley Place in Boston.

Reporter Don Staruk received first place recognition in the spot

news category for his story on the pursuit and arrest of a suspect, following the robbery of the River Road branch of Andover bank in September 1994.

"Great story on capture of bank robbery suspect. Front page story, plus picture of cap-

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Controlling growth in Andover

Second in a series on growth and development in Andover that will run between now and April Town Meeting. This week's article looks at a variety of ways the town could try to control development.

Building permits and zoning can control growth

By Don Staruk

If Andover residents want more control of how much and at what rate development will take place here, there are a number of tools

available. Some include limiting the number of building permits issued, rezoning, and not allowing expansion of public utilities. Which method is most effective is a matter of opinion among town officials and department heads.

Limiting permits

A number of communities have tried to slow growth by limiting the number of building permits for new houses that are issued in a given year.

"That's a moratorium," said Steve Colyer,

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- Another story in the series on growth in Andover

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Photo by Lisa Adelsberger

Townsman reporter Don Staruk holds a first-place plaque from New England Press Assoc. for the spot news story he did on a bank robber. Editor Perry Colmore holds the newspaper in which the story and her photos were published.

Townsman wins two NEPA awards

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ture, was right on for spot news award," the judges wrote in making the award.

Spot news refers to coverage of an unexpected event, such as a fire, accident or disaster of any kind for which there is no advance assignment or planning. Judges are asked to consider the quality of reporting and writing, and the presentation of information.

The story was illustrated with several photos of the arrest by Perry Colmore, *Townsman* editor.

Ms. Colmore received a third-place award for the *Townsman's* April 6, 1995, editorial page, which included an edit on Town Meeting. Ms. Colmore's column on her own battle with breast cancer, and 16 letters to the editor. The letters addressed a variety of issues, including the proposal for building a youth center at Recreation Park and the estab-

lishment of a Ballardvale Historic District, Principal Sam Campbell's departure from West Middle School, questions about the process used by the superintendent search committee, a call for new blood on the School Committee, plans for a new senior center, the new tax-voucher program for seniors, traffic changes on Route 28 at Phillips Academy, and even one proposing a bagel-toting BMW driver as the new mascot for Andover High School.

"Few papers open up as much space as the *Townsman* for letters to the editor," the judges wrote in awarding the editorial page prize. "Clearly, this paper provides more than ample room for the public to share its views."

The *Townsman* competes in the weekly class 2 category, which consists of weekly newspapers with circulations of 6,000 to 10,000.

How to write to the Townsman

The *Townsman* welcomes readers' letters.

Letters must be signed with a name and address and should be no longer than two typed pages, double spaced. Shorter is better. Please include a phone number, in case there are questions.

The editor reserves the right to edit letters for space, clarity, taste and libel. Letters that are part of obvious letter writing campaigns will not all be published.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

Sen. O'Brien seeks rights for grandparents

State Senator John D. O'Brien, D-Andover, has filed legislation that seeks to broaden grandparents' ability to seek visitation rights to their grandchildren.

Under Massachusetts law, not all grandparents may ask the court for visitation rights to their grandchildren. If a child's parents are divorced, deceased or married but living apart, grandparents may ask the court for visitation rights. Grandparents may ask the court for visitation rights in the case of a child born out of wedlock if the child's father has been determined by a court or has signed an acknowledgement of paternity and the child's parents do not live together.

Under the legislation filed by Sen. O'Brien, the criteria would be expanded to give the court the authority to decide on a case-by-case basis which grandparents should be allowed to seek visitation rights. Decisions by the court would take into consideration the best interest of the child.

Sen. O'Brien said, "By making this technical change to the current law, we will be able to win a major victory for grandparents across the state. Regardless of family circumstances, grandparents should be allowed the opportunity to seek visitation rights to their grandchildren and I am pleased that Donna Tilton from Grandparents United for Children's Rights brought this issue to my attention. The legislation has been co-sponsored by Ms. Tilton and 33 elected officials."

John O'Brien sets local hours

State Senator John D. O'Brien, D-Andover, will hold office hours in Andover Friday, Feb. 23, from 11 a.m. to noon at the Senior Center on Whittier Court; and on Monday, Feb. 26, from 6-7 p.m. at Memorial Hall Library.



Photo by Lisa Adelsberger

Norma Gammon, Memorial Hall librarian and head of the 350th Anniversary Committee, was the 1995 winner of the Andover Townsman's Community Spirit Award. She received a dozen long-stemmed roses in January when the newspaper made the announcement. This week she received a plaque for the award. Another plaque, with space to add names every year, will hang in the Townsman lobby. Five judges made the decision from residents' nominations.

Cholesterol tests set for Feb. 14

The Board of Health will hold a cholesterol screening clinic Wednesday, Feb. 14, 9 a.m. to noon for Andover residents only. An appointment is necessary. The simple fingerstick test for total cholesterol costs \$5 and does not require fasting. For more information or an appointment, call the health department at 623-8295.

Health insurance news for seniors

State Senator John D. O'Brien, D-Andover, will host a health insurance seminar for senior citizens Friday, Feb. 23, at the Andover Council on Aging, 36 Bartlet St. The event will begin at 10 a.m. and last approximately one hour.

For more information, call Sen. O'Brien's Statehouse office at (617) 722-1612.

Voting in the primary

The last day to register to vote or change party affiliation for the Presidential Primary on March 5 is Wednesday, Feb. 14. The town clerk's office on Bartlet Street will be open Wednesday, Jan. 14, until 8 p.m.

Mail-in voter registration forms are available at all four post offices and Memorial Hall Library. Mail-in forms must be received by the town clerk's office postmarked no later than Feb. 14.

Do you have an opinion about full-day kindergarten?

Changing to a full-day kindergarten is one of the first things Dick Neal, superintendent of Andover's schools, lists to be considered to pare down his recommended budget. Because of this, the school administration is already reviewing the results of a kindergarten survey it sent out.

But those who did not get a chance to fill out a survey and would like to, can pick up a copy at town offices, Memorial Hall library or the superintendent's office. Marinel McGrath, assistant superintendent, asks that these surveys be returned by Friday, Feb. 9.

Story idea? Call Editor Perry Colmore at 508-475-1943

Quote, unquote . . .

'Growth is inevitable as long as there's room to grow. It's a matter of sequencing it. Putting the breaks on it all at once - that creates chaos.'

Steve Colyer, page 31

'An overwhelming 77 percent of the women America Online surveyed last year said that they would like to hear the words "I love you" at least once a day. However, only 62 percent said that they actually heard these three little words at least once a day.'

Perry Colmore's column on buying Valentine's presents, page 36

'These changes would effectively destroy instrumental music in the Andover schools since the elementary programs act as feeders to the middle-school and high-school programs.'

Dwight L. Davis, in a letter, page 37

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School Committee hires computer guru

By Neil Fater

The schools have selected the man who will lead its more than \$4 million technology initiative during the next year.

William A. Hunzeker, head of Square C-Squared Systems of Auburn, N.H., will be hired for \$75,000, as the result of a School Committee vote Tuesday. His salary will be paid out of the separate \$2 million technology bond approved at the 1994 Town Meeting.

Although Mr. Hunzeker does not have any experience working with school systems, Dick Neal, superintendent, said this did not concern him because Mr. Hunzeker will not create educational curriculum. Educators will still do this, while Mr. Hunzeker will help teachers to "make a decision based on some informed feedback" as to what technology they should use, said Mr. Neal.

Mr. Hunzeker will work closely with one teacher on a technology stipend from each school.

Mr. Hunzeker's 12 months of service need not be consecutive. For instance, he may not work during the summer when teachers will be out of school. There will be check points every three months where either the school system or Mr. Hunzeker can decide the situation is not working as expected. At such a point, one party can terminate the contract.

Although the committee ultimately decided to hire the technology project manager, the decision was not arrived at easily.

Lloyd Willey and Susan Dalton, committee members, were concerned about approving a motion to hire Mr. Hunzeker because they did not believe the schools had a detailed enough list of what was to be expected of him.

Fearing more time would pass before a leader for the technology initiative was named, David Birnbach began to become concerned, noting that both the schools and the technology committee and the administration were supporting the decision to hire a technology manager.



Lloyd Willey wants the proposal nailed down.



David Birnbach was frustrated that the committee wasn't moving faster.

Photos by Lisa Adelsberger

"Let's get going. Let's get moving, particularly with the blessing of the hard-working technology committee," said Mr. Birnbach.

At one point he became so frustrated, he exclaimed, "I don't believe where I'm sitting. Is this Andover, Mass? Is this 1996?"

Mr. Willey said he just wanted the schools to have a document signed by Mr. Hunzeker, outlining specific technology results the committee could make sure the project manager delivers.

The School Committee voted 3-0-1 to hire the project manager provided that a specific list of deliverable is produced, with Susan Dalton passing. Mr. Birnbach, Mr. Willey and Tina Girdwood approved the motion.

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"I really don't want any work to start until we have that formal proposal nailed down," said Lloyd Willey. "We've had too much of that in this town already."

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Dick Muller did not attend the meeting, reportedly because icy conditions in Alabama prevented him from returning to Andover in time.

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Board of Selectmen, 7:30 p.m., third floor conference room, town offices, Bartlet Street.

School Building Committee, 7:30 p.m., resource room, Sanborn School.

South School Council, 3:30 p.m., conference room, South School, Waburn Street.

Zoning Bylaw Task Force, 7:30 p.m., first floor conference room, town offices, Bartlet Street.

Andover Housing Authority, 7 p.m., 100 Morton St.

MONDAY, FEB. 12

Board of Assessors, 9 a.m., Assessors's office, town offices, Bartlet Street.

Board of Health, 6 p.m., second floor conference room, town offices, Bartlet Street.

TUESDAY, FEB. 13

Andover Planning Board, 7:30 p.m., third floor conference room, town offices, Bartlet Street.

Historical Committee, 5:30 p.m., first

floor conference room, town offices, Bartlet Street.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 14

Finance Committee, 7:30 p.m., second floor, town offices, Bartlet Street.

West Elementary School Improvement Council, 3:30 p.m., B-13 West Elementary School.



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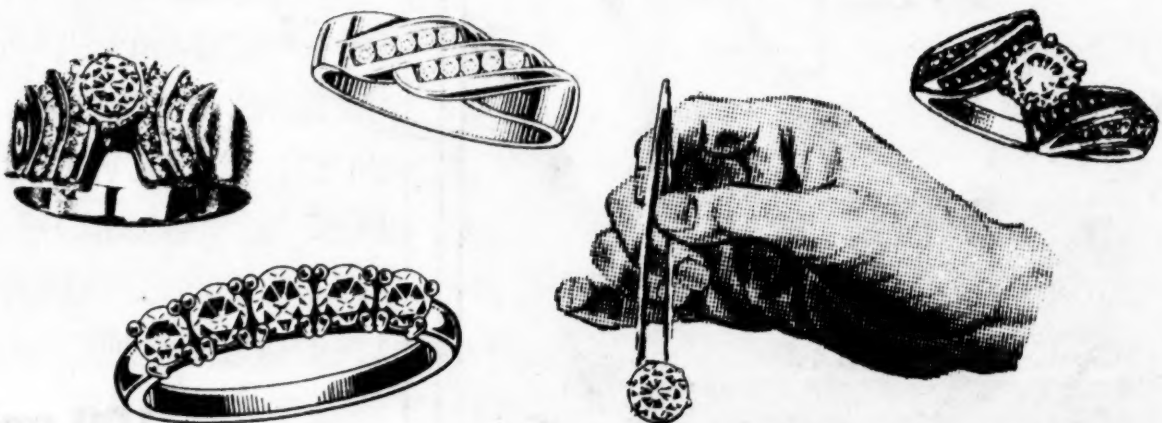
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\$1/4M could be a breath of fresh air for library

By Neil Fater

Andover's Memorial Hall Library has a circulation problem even its librarians can't handle. It isn't getting enough fresh air.

"It's one of those sort of things you don't notice right away," Bridget Bennett, children's librarian, said of the library air. "It's so dry. Whatever it is, the effect has been to cause some problems. Several of us have had repeated respiratory problems here. We do feel the air quality has not been optimal."

To temporarily correct the problem the library is using free-standing humidifiers and in warmer weather has sometimes opened windows. People such as Ms. Bennett, who work near entrances, get some help because "we're getting some additional fresh air just by the opening of the door."

But to truly deal with the issue, the town is looking for Town Meeting to approve an expenditure of \$250,000.

This will allow the library's heating, ventilation and air-conditioning sys-

tem to be redesigned. Workers will place new air handlers in the lower levels and large sections of the system will be replaced.

A simple explanation of the problem is that there's not enough fresh air in the lower levels - in the children's room and inter-library loan office on the bottom floor and in the stacks on the second floor - said Jim Sutton, library director. Some staff members have complained about headaches and feeling sleepy, he said, while others say

they have had sinus infections.

"It was not a problem in the old building," said Ms. Bennett. "This building (the addition was built in 1987) is heavily used and I think for that reason it's more noticeable than when we just had the old building. We're very glad that they're addressing the problem."

"I think it's more a problem that the staff would be aware of since we're here eight hours a day, seven-and-a-

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Spencer H. Owades

Andover dentist Spencer H. Owades served as a volunteer for the 21st Yankee Dental Congress, which convened Jan. 25-28 at Boston's Hynes Convention Center. Dr. Owades is a member of the Yankee Dental Congress General Arrangements and Publicity and Promotion committees.

Susan Rochwarg

Susan Rochwarg, sales associate at Re/Max Preferred in North Andover, was recently certified by the Real Estate Training Institute of Charlotte, N.C., as a CBR Certified Buyer Representative.

Ms. Rochwarg, a top producing agent in the Andover area for more than 10 years, is now trained in the representation of buyers in home purchases.

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KKO and Associates of Andover participated in the 82nd annual Shortline Railroad Association annual meeting and exhibition in Minneapolis, Minn. Representatives from railroads throughout the United States and Canada attended the exhibition to hear speakers, reports from Washington, regulatory updates, and to meet with representatives of various companies serving the railroad industry. Representing KKO and Associates were Kay O'Neil, president; Susan Altshuler, director of information systems; Walt Krueger, ontrak developer; and Susan Richardson, customer service.

Founded in 1984 in Andover, KKO specializes in serving the needs of pub-

lic and private transportation operators. KKO's clients include Amtrak, Polish National Railway, Buenos Aires' commuter rail operations and Railtex, Arizona and California Railroad.

Richard D. Lindsay

Dr. Richard D. Lindsay of Andover received the Massachusetts Veterinary Medical Association's 1995 Distinguished Service Award Feb. 4. The association's highest award is given in recognition of outstanding service and contributions in the field of veterinary medicine.

Dr. Lindsay is well known in the Massachusetts Veterinary Medical Association (MVMA) for his years of service to the association. He served as president in 1978, secretary for three years, chairman of the legislative committee for 15 years and chairman of the Animal Welfare Committee for four years.

He was also on the committee with the New England Board of Higher Education to establish a regional veterinary school and the Ad-Hoc Steering Committee for the establishment of Tufts University School of Veterinary Medicine. Dr. Lindsay was president of the New England Veterinary Medical Association in 1977-'78.

Dr. Lindsay is a graduate of Phillips Academy and Michigan State University. He started the Andover Animal Hospital in 1958 as a solo practice. Today, the eight-veterinarian, certified American Hospital includes his son, David, and daughter-in-law, Martha (both vet-

erinarians) and daughter, Diane Towers, as hospital manager.

Dr. Lindsay has been Andover's animal inspector for 41 years. He is past president of Holy Family Hospital Men's Guild and has been on its board for 30 years. He is also on the board of the Holy Family Hospital Foundation and past board member of the Merrimack Valley United Way and Community Savings Bank board of trustees. Dr. Lindsay was on the N.E. Regional Board of the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children for 16 years and involved with the establishment of the Good Start Program. He is a Boy Scout merit badge counselor and an active supporter of the Lawrence Boys and Girls Club.

Dr. Lindsay and his wife, Betty, have been married 43 years.

Michael Plummer

Air Force Reserve Airman 1st Class Michael Plummer graduated recently from basic military training at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas.

During the six weeks of training, the airman studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special training in human relations.

Airmen who complete basic training earn credits toward an associate degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

Airman Plummer is the son of James S. and Gabriella Plummer of 259 N. Main St.

Stephen M. Boudreau

Stephen M. Boudreau of 8 Crescent Drive, a registered professional engineer in Massachusetts and Vermont, has been promoted to principal professional at Vollmer Associates, an international engineering, landscape archi-

tectural and planning firm. Mr. Boudreau, with the firm's Boston office since 1987, has been project manager for numerous transportation planning and engineering assignments for the Massachusetts Port Authority (Massport) at Logan International Airport. Most recently, he has been involved in the Logan Airport Terminal Area Roadways project, coordinating the design of roadway and traffic elements with the development of the LOGAN:2000 program and the Central Artery/Tunnel project.

He has also provided direction for engineering evaluations and review for the Third Harbor Tunnel Coordination and Review as well as the Cross Harbor and Regional Transportation contracts for Massport.

Mark Smith

The Hodess Building Company of Rumford, R.I., has appointed Mark Smith of Andover project manager. He will work on the company's Lockheed Sanders Project. Hodess is providing design/build construction management services for the renovation and construction of new cleanrooms at Lockheed's national headquarters in Nashua, N.H.

Mr. Smith previously was project manager of new store construction for Au Bon Pain Co. Inc. in Boston and was a principal of A.R. Smith Company in Wilmington for nine years. He specialized in biotech cleanroom construction and has in-depth expertise, coordinating all project work and subcontractor trades, including mechanical process piping.



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Residents: Don't cut music

By Neil Fater

In 1995 not a single person asked a question at the School Committee's public budget hearing. That won't happen again this year.

With most seats already taken by those interested in other discussions Tuesday night, student musicians, High School band members and parents crammed into the School Committee room, crowded the aisles and even stood on toes outside the doorway in hopes of convincing the committee of the importance of keeping school programs such as music. [See photo and editorial, page 36.]

Eliminating elementary and middle school instrumental music from the daily school program is down on the list of cuts the School Committee must consider if it must make the superintendent's budget match the town manager's recommended amount.

One man, asking for a total of six minutes, said, "We'd like

to read two statements and then we'll leave. You'll have the room to yourselves."

But while residents came armed with at least these two prepared statements, Susan Dalton disarmed the situation by making it clear she did not believe Tuesday's meeting was the time for budget discussions. Two lengthy presentations, one on a special-needs survey and one seeking input regarding the language arts program, were already on Tuesday night's agenda.

Ms. Dalton suggested the people should come to the committee's next budget workshop, which will be held Monday, Feb. 12, in

the South School cafeteria.

"That would be a lengthy dialog and an open dialog so you won't go away and just have a hit and run," said Ms. Dalton. "We're actually trying to open the process, not shut it down."

"This subject is very intense," said Lloyd Willey, committee member. "You cannot do justice to it in five minutes, 10 minutes, half an hour, two hours."

While most people concerned with the budget did not stay for the rest of the meeting, Tom Meyers, teachers' union president, did and he used several opportunities during the evening to speak about the budget.

"Andover sits on \$3.5 million in free

cash," and should tap into this for education, he said, during discussions about the special-needs survey results. "Let's not surrender to the town manager. Let's not surrender to narrow interests."

Later, Mr. Meyers discussed the importance of keeping home economics in the middle and High School levels. This is another area the committee will have to consider to meet the town manager's recommendation.

"Let's fight the fight if we have to fight it on the floor of Town Meeting," said Mr. Meyers. Mr. Meyers had a petition, to keep home economics, signed by more than 30 West Middle School teachers.

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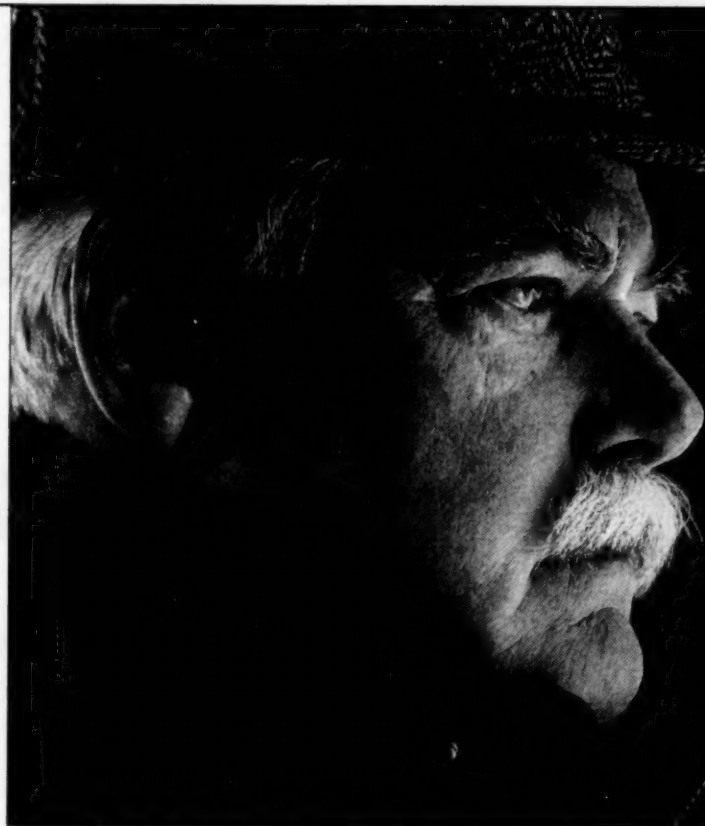
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Residents push for parking changes on Abbot/School streets

Selectmen reduce all-day parking to address safety issues

By Don Staruk

About a dozen residents pushed selectmen Monday night to reduce the amount of parking allowed on School and Abbot streets, but board members gave them less than what they asked for.

The board banned parking on the:

- South side of Abbot Street, from School Street to Phillips Street;

- North side of Abbot Street, from School Street for a distance of 20 feet. (Residents had wanted no parking on the north side from School Street to Phillips Street);

- West side of School Street, from Abbot Street to a distance 70 feet north and south of Abbot Street;

- West side of School Street from the two-way Abbot Campus driveway, located 400 feet south of Abbot Street, to a distance of 50 feet north of the driveway and 40 feet south of the driveway.

"They will go into effect immediately, but enforcement won't start until we have it properly posted," Lt. Philip Froburg, operations commander at the Andover Police Department, said of the new regulations.

Neighbors say traffic is terrible in the area due to parents

dropping off and picking up children at the Andover Community Childcare, at 18 School St. Ongoing construction at Phillips Academy adds to the parking problem, as do PA employees and commuters who take advantage of the all-day parking available on Abbot Street. The neighbors wanted to ban day-time parking on both sides of Abbot Street.

David Sand, of 17 Abbot St., said he sees kids jumping in and out of cars to cross Abbot Street all the time.

"It's a mess and it's only getting worse," said Jane Rosman, of 51 School St.

"I have to admit I really can't understand the ferocious reluctance" to closing both sides of the street, said Ron Hill, of 15 Abbot St.

But Lt. Froburg said banning parking on one side of the street is all that is needed to resolve the safety issue, and that banning parking on the north side of Abbot Street would be a hardship for those who use the parking.

"That is not a safety issue. It is more of a convenience for the residents," the lieutenant said. And while he said he would like to accommodate the residents, he said there has to be some on-street parking available.

If the town is going to have a

vibrant downtown, there has to be places employees can park all day for free to leave the downtown parking for customers, Lt. Froburg said. He said that problem really is more of a planning issue than a safety issue.

Selectman Jim Barenboim said selectmen can always return to the issue and make additional changes if that is warranted. The board approved the changes by a 4-0 vote. Chairman Larry Larsen was not at the meeting.

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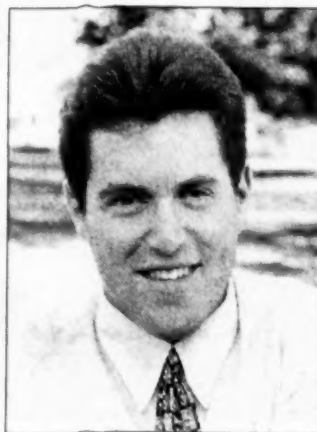
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Members can assist each other with legal and parenting issues while working toward change in the Massachusetts Family Court system.

CPF is a non-profit, volunteer organization of men and women advocating for fatherhood. CPF is based in Boston with chapters in Middlesex, Suffolk, Norfolk and Essex counties and the Worcester and Cape Cod regions.

Trauma intervention

The Trauma Intervention Program of

Merrimack Valley holds training programs from time to time. Volunteers are trained to provide on-scene emotional and practical support to trauma victims in the Merrimack Valley. The group is in its second year of service and the first on the East Coast. Since TIP's inception,

assistance has been provided to more than 550 citizens and emergency first responders and more than 38,500 volunteer hours have contributed to the community. Volunteers have responded to a variety of tragic situations to support victims and witnesses, such as sudden death of a loved

one, fire victims, domestic violence, suicide, SIDS, elders and children in need and drownings. The likelihood of developing emotional scars are minimized if the victim receives the necessary support and referral immediately after a tragedy. Prereg-

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State Legislature approves an open space bond bill

The Massachusetts Legislature recently gave approval to an open space bond bill that provides more than \$399 million for environmental enhancement and protection programs in the Commonwealth. State Senator John O'Brien, D-Andover, announces that this bond bill includes provisions for several projects that will be beneficial to the constituents in his district.

Thirty million dollars has been included to cover the cost of planning, study and acquisition of recreational facilities. Specific language provides for the creation of a bicycle/pedestrian underpass in Andover. The underpass would connect the existing bike path through Andover with Harold Parker State Forest, allowing users to avoid crossing Route 125.

Sen. O'Brien said, "The Andover Bike Committee has been discussing the possibility of extending the current bike path by constructing a bike underpass under Route 125. If the town is successful in developing a plan for this underpass, it will provide a safe and environmentally sound passage to the Harold Parker State Forest,

especially for the children of Andover."

Another section of the bill provides \$30 million for a Title V loan program that will be of particular interest to homeowners affected by the recently passed Title

V regulations. This loan program would aid homeowners throughout the district who must cover the cost of upgrading their septic systems due to these new regulations.

Sen. O'Brien said, "These efforts

to preserve and enhance natural resources is matched by the Legislature's commitment to the very real expenses of meeting environmental standards."

Also included is a \$2 million bond authorization for a

Pilot Project Grant Program for the demolition of abandoned buildings. This grant program aims at giving cities and towns which have experienced severe public health and safety problems as a result of having a large number of

vacant lots and abandoned properties the ability to convert such properties to open space park, conservation or recreational sites. Funding from this grant program shall cover up to 90 percent of the total costs of such projects. Sen.

O'Brien encourages Andover to assess the potential of these "self-help programs to meet municipal efforts to increase park and open space areas.

The bill will go to the Governor for his signature.

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Support is for Alzheimer's caregivers

There is an Alzheimer's and caregivers support group that meets the first and third Wednesday of the month from 7 to 8:30 p.m. at Glynn Memorial Nursing Home, 61 Brown St., Haverhill.

For more information, call John Freeman at (508) 388-4904 or Frank Poole at (508) 372-8887.

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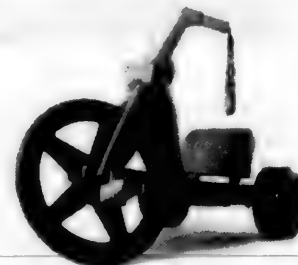
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All parents are encouraged to attend. For information, call **Chris Tebbetts** at 475-7800, or **Sue Rice** at 475-2357.

The West Elementary annual rollerskating party at Skateland, 19 Railroad Ave., Bradford, will be held Saturday, Feb. 10, from 4:30-6:30 p.m. Admission is \$3, plus 50 cents for skate rental. A snack bar is available.

Two Andover residents were recently named to the honor roll for the first semester at **Belmont Hill School** in Belmont. They are **Daniel N. Lombard**, son of Michael E. and Patricia A. Lombard, and **Alan E. Topalian**, son of Edward G. and Judith N. Topalian.

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The Trustees of the **Methuen Memorial Music Hall** once again are seeking applications for two \$1,000 scholarships. Applicants must be graduating high school seniors who have been accepted to college for next year and who are planning to major in music. The scholarships will be awarded at the summer scholarship fund recital at the Music Hall.

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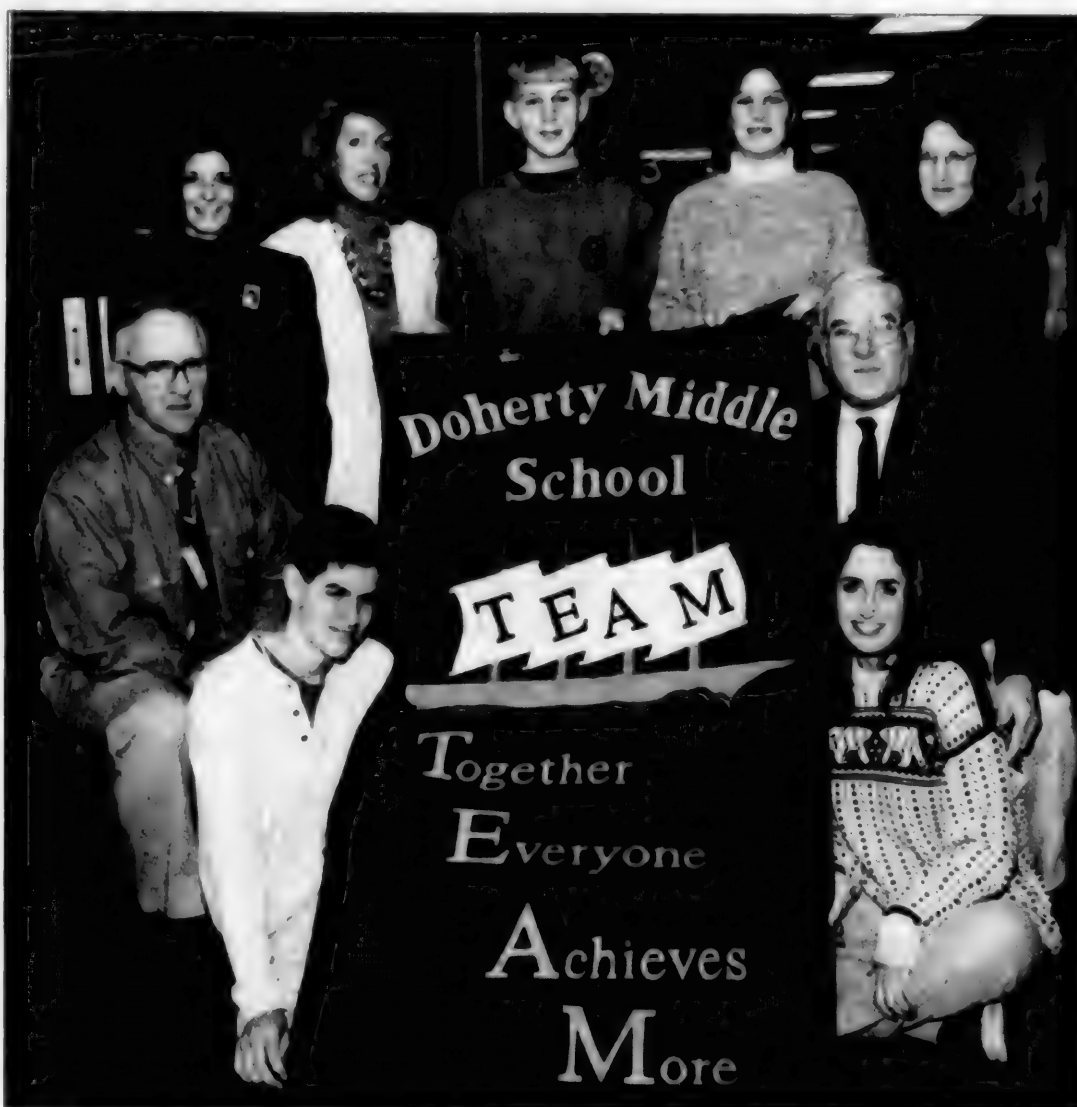


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This group from Doherty Middle School holds a banner created to illustrate the school theme of "TEAM." Group 8B created the design, which was the result of a schoolwide logo contest. Clockwise, from lower left, are: **Leo DeMarco** (8B), **Charlie LeBelle** (team leader), **Chris Tebbetts** (Parent Advisory Council co-president), **Janice Hill** (publicity), **Carl Dietz** (8B), **Julie Barenholtz** (8B), **Sue Rice** (PAC co-president), **Floyd McManus** (principal) and **Mary Burbank** (8B).

Richard J. Ouellette, 21 Mechanic St., West Newbury, Mass. 01985-1512, by May 15.

Northern Essex Community College students interested in positions in the health and human services

community will have an opportunity to "shop around" at a job fair to be held at the college's Lawrence campus Tuesday, March 5, from 2:30 to 6 p.m.

Northern Essex offers more than 17 certificate and associate degree programs related to health and human services.

The job fair will provide resources for recent graduates, students in an unrelated field with an interest in health and human services, future graduates and individuals who have recently been laid off from their jobs.

"Some of the participating employers are looking for stu-

dents who plan to work while enrolled in college and others are interested in May graduates," said **Abbott Rice**, NECC director of placement.

Although the job fair is designed primarily for Northern Essex students, anyone looking for employment is welcome to attend.

Companies in need of employees are also invited to sign up in advance for a table.

For more information, contact **Dr. Rice** at (508) 374-3670.

Two Andover students were among those who performed in the winter recital of the **Bedrosian Piano Studio** Sun-

day, Jan. 21, at Nevins Memorial Library in Methuen. **Brian Walker** played an arrangement of the *First Piano Concerto* by Tchaikovsky and **Marissa Walker** performed the *Waltz in A Minor* by Chopin.

Teachers **Peter** and **Jeanne Bedrosian** of Pelham, N.H., performed works by **Beethoven** and **Poulenc**.

Phillips Academy will host its sixth annual **Summer Opportunities Fair** this Sunday, Feb. 11, from 1-4 p.m. on the second floor of the dining hall on Main Street (Route 28).

Students and their families can choose from a variety of summer experiences and locations. Programs for academic enrichment, travel, outdoor adventure, international homestay, community service, camping, sports, theater, music and art may be local, across the U.S. or abroad. Students can learn a new skill, pursue an interest or build on their talents. They might live in a castle, learn Japanese, sail the Caribbean, boost writing skills, explore the wilderness or put on a musical.

Summer Ops admission and materials are free. Activities are for ages 10 through college.

This event is sponsored by the Phillips Academy Summer Opportunities Office and Merrimack Valley Andover Association, the parents' group. For information, call (508) 887-5448 or (508) 948-3815.

The Merrimack Valley YMCA will start its annual "Reach Out for Youth" fun-raising drive and phonathon Sunday, Feb. 25. The Camping Services Branch YMCA operates resident Camp Lawrence for Boys and Camp Nokomis for Girls for ages 8-15 on Bear Island, Lake Winnepesaukee, N.H., and Day Camp Otter for children ages 6-13 on Captain's Pond in Salem, N.H.

This summer the YMCA has reserved space for 140 deserving children of the Merrimack Valley community as part of the YMCA's Access program. Through the program, families may request financial assistance to help send their children to camp.

The Camping Services Branch has a goal of \$25,000 to be raised for this program. To contribute to this fund, call **Ted Becker** at the YMCA at 975-1330.

The Education Department of the **Addison Gallery** of

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◀ **Clark School** students from Andover are shown rehearsing for the play *Beauty and the Beast*, which they put on for Clark School parents Tuesday, Feb. 6. From left are **Evan Greer**, son of **Kathy Gilligan** and **Jim Greer** of Andover, and **Samantha** and **Thomas Bond**, children of **Aletta** and **Edward Bond**, also of Andover. Founded in 1978, the Clark School of Danvers is a small independent school for children in grades 1-8. Average to very bright children are taught in individualized programs.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENUS

Here's what for lunch at the Andover public schools next week, Feb. 12-16.

Elementary schools

Monday: Hot dog on roll, mustard, relish, ketchup, carrot and celery sticks, fruit cup, milk or juice.

Tuesday: Chicken nuggets, whipped potatoes, gravy,

sliced carrots, white bread and butter, cookie, milk or juice.

Wednesday: Spaghetti with meat sauce, green beans, white bread and butter, pudding with topping, milk or juice.

Thursday: Taco boat with ground beef, lettuce, tomato and cheese, fudge brownie, milk or juice.

Friday: Tuna salad in Syrian bread, potato puffs, ketchup, peas, apple, milk or juice.

A pizza or peanut butter and jelly lunch is available daily.

Middle schools

Monday: Hot dog on roll,

mustard, relish, ketchup, wax beans, fruit cup, milk.

Tuesday: Chicken cutlet on roll, mayonnaise, potato puffs, ketchup, green beans, cookie, milk.

Wednesday: Meatball sub with tomato sauce, corn, potato sticks, fruited Jell-O with whipped topping, milk.

Thursday: Nachos with cheese sauce, rice, carrots, frosted cake, milk.

Friday: Tuna salad roll, peas, potato chips, chilled peaches, milk.

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SCHOOLTALK

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American Art, on the campus of **Phillips Academy**, offers free workshops for children aged 7 to 13 and their parents during February public school vacation week.

The workshops will explore three of the Addison's current exhibitions: *Aspects of Abstraction*, *First-hand in the Jazz World: Photographs by Milton Hinton*, and *Masterworks from the Addison Collection*.

Workshops from 10 a.m. to noon Tuesday, Feb. 20, and Thursday, Feb. 22, will acquaint visitors with the artwork in the exhibitions and engage children and parents, in activities relevant to the show's themes.

The Feb. 20 workshop will examine the five museum galleries installed with examples of 18th- to 20th-century American art, culled from the Addison's collection.

The Feb. 22 workshop covers the 20th-century works of six American abstract artists including Jackson Pollock, Naum Gabo, and Josef

Albers, plus the photographs of jazz greats taken over the past 35 years by the "dean of jazz bassists," Milton Hinton.

During the two-hour workshops, parents are required to remain with children under the age of 10.

According to organizers, demand for these workshops has been high and space is limited. Reservations are required. Call the Addison Gallery Education Department at 749-4017 to reserve a spot.

In celebration of Catholic Schools Week last week, **Academy of Notre Dame** high school students were invited to appreciate their teachers by trading places for a classroom period.

Sarah Cupp, a junior from Andover, was one of the large group of students who rose to the challenge of teaching their classmates, giving their teachers a refreshing change of pace.

Sarah, standing in for honors American literature teacher **Gail Baggot**, was excited to present a lesson in

a class she had taken last year, organizers said. This year's sophomores seemed to "get into" the creative lesson on the poetry of Emily Dickinson. While she enjoyed teaching, Sarah credited Ms. Baggot with getting into "the nitty-gritty" while they could offer a modest overview of the material. The students found that even an overview takes a lot of work. Sarah, who is currently in an honors English class, spent much time researching the material she had learned last year in order to create a fun worksheet for "her students" to complete. In addition to presenting background information on poetry concepts, she took the time to analyze specific Dickinson poems. Sarah and another student were at the helm for an entire 50-minute class period, and thoroughly enjoyed themselves, said Ms. Baggot.

Doherty Middle School has been selected to participate in a new geography education program sponsored by **Dunkin' Donuts** franchise owners.

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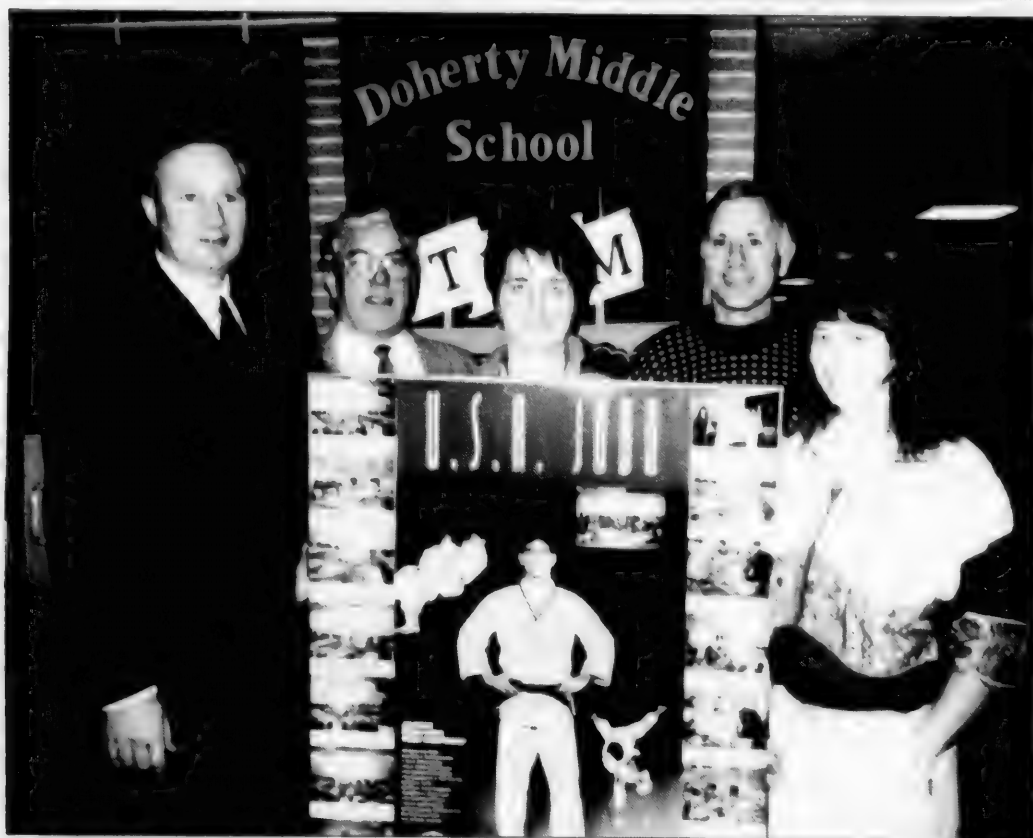
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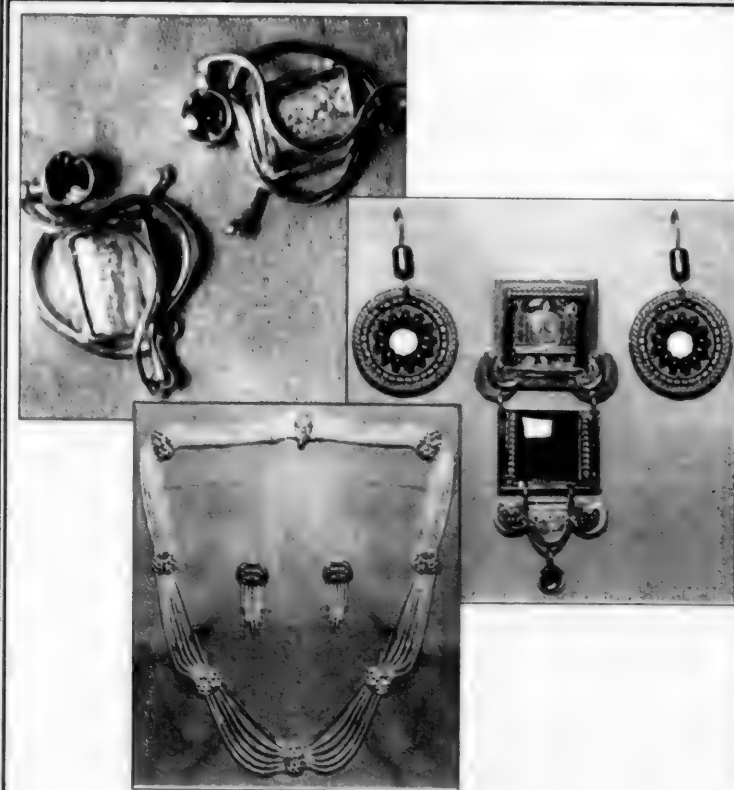
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On Friday, Jan. 19, Doherty Middle School was presented a collage featuring Olympian Jim Pedro and the school's students and faculty. Robert C. Barry (left), chartered financial consultant of John Hancock Financial Services of Merrimack Valley, presented the collage to school principal Floyd McManus. The agency sponsors Mr. Pedro, which allows him "to bring inspiration to young minds in community events such as this one," according to the organizers. They said, "The pictures (in the collage) are a reminder of the excitement and energy that filled the school this past November when Mr. Pedro performed his vivacious demonstration before so many enthused eyes. These students not only carry fond memories of the judo demonstration, but a message that lingers on in each of them about the importance of realizing one's dreams and striving to reach that dream." Physical education teachers Karl Lippman, Sheila Salois and Mary Ellen Marino, shown in the picture, were reportedly delighted to have Mr. Pedro share his experiences on how training and hard work changed his life for the better.



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Local students named to Phillips Academy honor roll

Phillips Academy has announced the names of students on the honor roll for the fall trimester that just ended.

To be named to the honor roll, students must maintain at least a 5-point grade average on a 6-point scale.

Andover students (along with their graduation year and parent names) are:

Jeremy Adams '99, son of Kenneth and Anita Adams;

Kimberly Ballard-Perrin '98, daughter of Bob Perrin and Leslie Ballard;

Jacob Berman '98, son of David and Mary Berman;

April Betty '99, daughter of Daniel and Patricia Betty;

Joshua Bloom '99, son of Steven Bloom, M.D., and Janet Bloom;

Eliza Bobek '98, daughter of Robert and Christine Bobek;

Andrea Campbell '99, daughter of Michael and Mary Campbell;

Stephen Carter '96, son of Steve and Adele Carter;

Sean Casey '96, son of Michael and Kathy Casey;

Paul Chen '96, son

of Wu-Fu and Jaw-Fen Chen;
Daniel Chen '99, son of Frank and

Jennifer Chen;
Dean Chiungos '97, son of John and Victoria Chiungos;

John Coglianò '98, son of Paul and Rosemary Coglianò;

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In conjunction

with a six-week study on kitchens and restaurants, the children visited the Ground Round restaurant on Main Street in North Reading to find out exactly what happens "behind the scenes." They were brought through the restaurant, both the front

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Children took notes and used the information they had gathered to write ads in the same format

as those they had previously analyzed in the classroom. Children were then asked to read through the "Help Wanted" section of their newspaper, and apply for jobs (within the restaurant) that they felt they would both enjoy and be qualified for.

Children are now awaiting the replies of their teacher and "restaurant manager," Ms. Murphy.

As a culminating activity to the long unit tonight, Thursday, Feb. 8, children will turn their Loft 2 classroom into a gourmet restaurant.

They will prepare,

cook, and serve a Valentine's Day dinner to the two guests of their choice.

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"This has truly been a life experience for the children," Ms. Murphy said.

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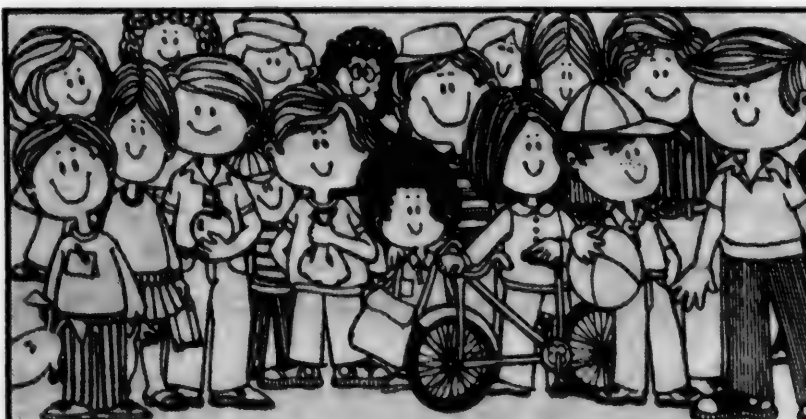
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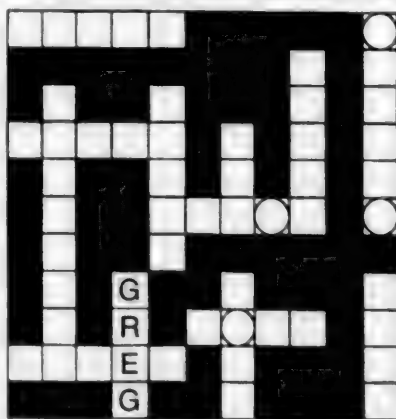


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Piercarlo Valdesolo '99, son of Ernesto and Cristina Valdesolo;

Nicholas Vantzelfde '97, son of Mark and Karen Vantzelfde;

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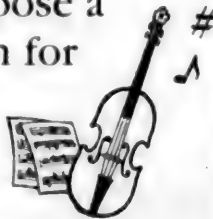
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THURSDAY, FEB. 8

Film, *Streetwise*, a look at the lives of teenage runaways and street hustlers in Seattle, in conjunction with Jim Goldberg's exhibit *Raised By Wolves*, featuring speaker Stephen Wicks, at Addison Gallery of American Art, Kemper Auditorium, Elson Art Center, Phillips Academy, Main Street, 7:30 p.m.

Breakfast Circle, featuring guest speaker cardiologist Manning Curtis, M.D., speaking about topics relating to heart disease, at Sutton Hill Nursing & Retirement Center, North Andover, 9-10:30 a.m., \$1; 688-1212 for a reservation.

Meeting, sponsored by the Merrimack Valley Business Women's Network, featuring Claire McCarthy speaking on the topic *Why Do I Always Say Yes When I Mean No?*, at Jackson's Restaurant, Methuen, free; Greater Lawrence YWCA 687-0331.

Discussion, sponsored by the Wilmington Garden Club, presenting an evening with Judson Hale, editor of *The Old Farmer's Almanac* and *Yankee Magazine*, reception to follow, at Knights of Columbus Hall, Wilmington, \$7, tickets may be obtained by calling Teri at 658-3805 or Diane at 658-8087.

FRIDAY, FEB. 9

Academy Jazz Band, featuring the music of Duke Ellington, directed by Peter Cirelli, at Kemper Auditorium, Elson Arts Center, Phillips Academy.

Phillips Academy honor roll

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daughter of Venki and Geeta S. Venkataraman;

Meaghan Watt '96, daughter of William and Helen Watt;

Nicholas Wilson '97, son of Kathy Wilson;

Ned Yetten '98, son of Raymond and Karen Yetten.

Main Street, 7:30 p.m., free.

Country western dance, featuring dance instructor Ken Wheeler, lessons from 7:30-8:30 p.m., dancing until midnight, cash bar, at North Reading Moose Lodge, 140 North St., North Reading, \$5 donation; (508) 664-8561 or (508) 772-2195.

Video, sponsored by the 350th Committee, *The Life of the Library*, at Memorial Hall Library, Main Street, 7 p.m., \$1.

Singles dance, sponsored The Single Life, at the Knights of Columbus, 2068 Main St., Tewksbury, 8 p.m.-12:30 a.m., \$7; 891-3750.

Concert, featuring the Master Singers presenting *Love's a Sweet Passion: an English Valentine*, at First Parish Church, 7 Harrington Road, 8 p.m., \$13 general admission, \$11 for students and seniors; (617) 862-6459.

Ski weekend, sponsored by the Andover Appalachian Mountain Club, the 12th annual Mountain Fare

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Conference, featuring Rabbi Joel Dinnerstein, speaker for the New England Region of National Conference of Synagogue Youth (NCSY) at Montefiore Synagogue in Lowell; conference runs through Sunday, Feb. 11; (508) 441-2141.

SATURDAY, FEB. 10

Concert, featuring Midnight Snack, a jazz and acoustic music group, at Crossroads Coffeehouse, North Parish Church, 190 Academy Road, North Andover, doors open 7:15 p.m., concert at 8 p.m., \$8 at the door; (508) 749-7025.

Chinese New Year celebration, sponsored by the Andover Chinese Cultural Exchange, celebrating the Year of the Rat, at Old Town Hall, Main

Street, 5:30-8:30 p.m.; Elsie Wu 682-2067.

Valentine's Day dance, sponsored by the Billerica Chapter of The Single Life, at Knights of Columbus, Route 38, Tewksbury, 8 p.m., \$4 members, \$6 guests; Muriel 851-0346 or Diane 640-1544.

Auction, hosted by St. Michael's School Guild, volunteers and donations welcome, at Stevens Estate, Osgood Hill, North Andover; Jennifer Chapelle 794-3126, or the school 686-9651.

Concert, presented by Phillips Academy, presenting African American musical forms in support of the newly established Sojourner Truth Scholarship Fund, at Cochran Chapel, Phillips Academy, Main Street, 7:30 p.m., \$10 general admission, \$5 students, tickets are available at Phillips Academy Music Department, Graves Hall Community Affairs and Multicultural Development Office, Morse Hall and

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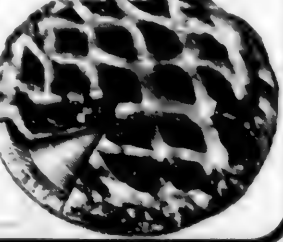


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Main Information Desk, George Washington Hall; 749-4263.

Ham and bean supper, sponsored by West Parish Church, at West Parish Church, 129 Reservation Road, 5-7 p.m., \$5 adults, \$4 seniors, \$3 children under 11, toddlers free; 475-3528.

Rollerskating party, sponsored by West Elementary School, at Skateland, 19 Railroad Ave., Bradford, 4:30-6:30 p.m., \$3 admission, 50 cents for rental; Carolyn Mallick 688-2533.

SUNDAY, FEB. 11

Black Arts Weekend Worship Service, sponsored by Phillips Academy, members of the Catholic and Protestant communities are invited to gather to worship in the African-American Church traditions, featuring Academy Gospel Choir and guest minister Rev. James T. Golden, at Cochran Chapel, Phillips Academy Campus, Main Street, 10:30 a.m.

Audition. Deco Boston Dinner Theatre is holding auditions for *Nunsense*, looking for five females of all ages, bring prepared music and tap shoes, at Deco Boston Dinner Theatre, 6 Sylvan Road, Woburn, 7 p.m.; (617) 932-9988.

Summer Opportunities Fair, sponsored by the Phillips Academy Summer Opportunity Office and the Merrimack Valley Andover Association, featuring summer programs geared towards ages 10 through college, at Phillips Academy dining hall, Main Street.

Centennial poetry celebration, sponsored by the Ipswich River Wildlife Sanctuary in Topsfield, featuring readings, winter music, singing and writing, refreshments, at Sanctuary barn, Ipswich Wildlife Sanctuary, 87 Perkins Row, Topsfield, 3-6 p.m., \$7, pre-registration required; (508) 887-9264.

Hike or cross-country ski trip, sponsored by the Andover Appalachian Mountain Club, three-mile hike on Rafton Reservation

and Fish Brook Trail, at the intersection of Chandler and River roads, 1:30 p.m.; Fred Snell 686-3647.

Concert, sponsored by Friends of the Memorial Hall Library, featuring mezzo-soprano, Gale Fuller, at Memorial Hall Library, Main St., 3 p.m., free.

MONDAY, FEB. 12

Slide presentation, sponsored by the Herb Society of Andover, featuring Steve McMahon, trustee of the reservation giving a slide presentation on the *Preservation of the Mission House*, at Grange Hall, North Andover, 9:30 a.m., \$3

non-member fee.

African Dance, featuring Aichi Astu Sagna, who has performed with the National Company of Sorano, teaching mixed level, at the Unitarian Universalist Congregation, 7:30 p.m., open to the public; 470-1134.

Brunch, sponsored by

the Middle Suburban Christian Women's Club, at Howard Johnson Hotel, Woburn, 9:30-11:30 a.m., \$7.25, Ruth (508) 664-3901 or Dolly (617) 944-2228, preschool nursery by reservation.

TUESDAY, FEB. 13

Guest speaker, sponsored by the North Andover Garden Club, featuring Paul Rogers presenting *Time to Think About Maintenance: Planting and*

Pruning Trees and Shrubs, at Stevens Memorial Library Meeting Room, North Andover, 7-9 p.m., \$3, open to the public; Leslie Hopkins 862-4555 or Maryann Luther 682-1128.

Decorative Arts in Andover, sponsored by the Andover Historical Society, North Andover Historical Society and Stevens-Coolidge Place, featuring

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ing a slide lecture on 18th century portraits, at the Meeting Room Gallery of the Andover Historical Society, 7:30 p.m., \$12, advance registration is requested as space is limited; 475-2236.

THURSDAY, FEB. 15
Concert, featuring saxophonist Danny Harrington and jazz guitarist Marc Lucas playing jazz duets, at the Arakelian Theater of the Firehouse Center for the Performing and Visual Arts, Market Square, Newburyport, 7:30 p.m., \$12 for adults, \$10 for youth and seniors; (508) 462-7336.

Film, featuring *Sans Toi Li Noi (Vagabond)*, the story of an amoral teenage drifter, whose grim, stubborn existence follows a logic unfamiliar to the people she encounters, in conjunction with Jim Goldberg's exhibit *Raised by Wolves*, at Kemper Auditorium, Elson Art Center, Phillips Academy, Main Street, 7:30 p.m., free and open to the public.

Meeting, sponsored by the Merrimack Valley Chapter of the Mass. Association of Insurance Women, featuring Ted Pappas, acupuncturist as speaker, at LaChandelle Restaurant, Methuen, 5:30 p.m.; Maryanne Jordan (508) 373-1347 for reservations.

FRIDAY, FEB. 16
Band concert, sponsored by the Phillips Academy Music Department, featuring the works of Mozart, Holborne, Holst, Lully, Anderson, at Cochran Chapel, Phillips Academy, Chapel Avenue, 7:30 p.m., free; 749-4263.

Evolve, sponsored by The Department of Theatre and Dance at Phillips Academy, presenting a dance program that follows the progression of ballet from the year 1850 to the present, featuring Andover residents, Kevin Cline and Sarah Josselyn, at Tang Theatre, George Washington Hall, Phillips Academy, Main Street, 7:30 p.m., \$5; for tickets and information call 749-4801.

SATURDAY, FEB. 17
Mardi Gras Casino Night, at Red Tavern, 5 Pleasant St., Methuen, 6:30 p.m.-midnight, \$15, tickets may be purchased at Silverado Athletic Club, 10-12 Main St. or by calling Lazarus House, 689-8575; all proceeds benefit Lazarus House.

Evolve, see entry under Friday, Feb. 16.

Concert, featuring singer/songwriter and instrumentalist Harvey Reid, former national guitar and autoharp champion, at New Moon Coffeehouse, Unitarian Universalist Church, 16 Ashland St., Haverhill, doors open at 7:30 p.m., \$10, tickets may be purchased in advance at the Andover Bookstore and at Gallerie 40 in Haverhill, tickets will also be on sale at the church the evening of the show at 6:30 p.m.; Carol (508) 373-

9259.
Valentine's country western dance, featuring dance instructor Ken Wheeler, a real "spaghetti-western" dinner/dance with an Italian buffet, at North Reading Moose Lodge, 140 North St., North Reading, 6-7:30 p.m. appetizers, 7:30-8:30 dinner, dancing until midnight, \$15; (508) 772-2195.

Voice recital, sponsored by the Phillips Academy Music Department, featuring Allen Combs singing music from Massenet, Poulenc, Barber, Gounod, Saint-Saens, Widor, Dupare and Donizetti, at Graves Hall, Phillips Academy, Main Street, 7:30 p.m., free; 749-4263.

SUNDAY, FEB. 18
Violin recital, sponsored by Phillips Academy Music Department, featuring Elizabeth Larson, vio-

lin; and Rebecca Plummer, piano performing the music of Mozart, Brahms, Schmittke and Wieniawski, at Timken Recital Room, Graves Hall, Phillips Academy, Main Street, 3 p.m., free; 749-4263.

ONGOING Museums and Historic Homes
Andover Historical Society, 97 Main St.; *Vision on Vision: Andover Poets Interpret Newman Photographs*, through March, library and office hours, Monday-Saturday 9 a.m.-5 p.m. and by appointment; \$4 adults, \$2 children, members free; 475-2236.
Robert S. Peabody Museum of Archaeology, Main and Phillips streets, includes the newly restored diorama, miniature scene of Native Americans along the banks of the Merrimack River; also, *Voices on Repatriation*

and *Renewing Tradition: Modern Pueblo Pottery*, continuing exhibits featuring collections of Native American artifacts, free; Tuesday through

Friday noon-5 p.m., Saturday 10 a.m.-1 p.m., closed holidays, 749-4490.
Lawrence Heritage State Park, 1 Jackson St., Lawrence, the

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Lowell National Historic Park, ongoing programs:

Harnessing the Merrimack, two-hour tour includes boat and trolley ride, \$3 adults, \$1 children;

Pawtucket Canal, 75-minute tour daily, adults \$3, children \$1; **Streetscapes of Lowell**, 45-minute tour offered at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. on weekdays and 10 a.m. on weekends;

Lowell: The Industrial Revelation, multi-image slide show, Visitor Center at Market Mills, 246 Market St., 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m., free;

Run of the Mill, working 19th century tur-

bine and power loom at Suffolk Mill, 11 a.m. weekdays and 3 p.m. Sundays, free;

Exploring Lowell, walking tour or program presented daily at the Visitor Center, 2:30 p.m., free;

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We All Worked Together, Lowell in World War II exhibit, at Boott Gallery, call for hours, free;

Working People exhibit, Visitor Center, daily, 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., free;

Boott Cotton Mills Museum, weave room and interactive exhibits, 400 Foot of John St., weekdays 9:30 a.m.-5 p.m., \$3

adults, youths 6-16 \$1, senior discount, children under 5 free; also, boat tour available with museum admission, \$5 adults; 970-5000.

New England Quilt Museum, at 18 Shattuck St., Lowell; 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday, noon to 4 p.m. Sunday; \$3 adults, \$2 senior citizens and children; 452-4207.

Art Exhibitions

Addison Gallery of American Art, new winter-term shows: *Raised By Wolves: Photographs and Documents of Runaways* by Jim Goldberg, through March 24; *Aspects of Abstraction*: paintings, sculpture, drawings and prints by Joseph

Albers, Naum Gabo, Donald Judd, Mel Kendrick, John McLaughlin and Jackson Pollock; *Firsthand in the Jazz World*: photographs of American jazz musicians by Milton Hinton; and the permanent collection located in the five galleries; at Phillips Academy, Chapel Avenue and Main Street, Tuesdays through Saturdays 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sundays 1-5 p.m., closed Mondays and national holidays; free and open to the public; Duncan Will 749-4015.

Laura Knott Gallery, featuring *The Sculptural Photograph* by Richard Lewis, through Feb. 10, at Bradford College, Bradford, Monday-Fri-

day 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Saturday and Sunday 1-6 p.m.

The Gaia Series, exhibit of Chris Enos' hand-painted photographs of the American Southwest, located at the Gallery of the Firehouse Center for

Performing and Visual Arts, Market Square, Newburyport; gallery hours, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Saturday, noon to 4 p.m. Sunday.

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Marquis-Kreuzburg

Sandra and James Tenaglia of Andover announce the engagement of their daughter, Amy Westwood Marquis, to Allan S. Kreuzburg, son of Dr. Robert and Nancy Kreuzburg of Nescopeck, Pa.

Ms. Marquis is also the daughter of Donald Marquis of North Carolina. She graduated from Andover High School and Connecticut College in New London, Conn. Ms. Marquis teaches middle school science at Dwight-Englewood School in Englewood, N.J.

Mr. Kreuzburg is a graduate of Juniata College in Pennsylvania. He teaches for the New Jersey SEEDS Program and coaches wrestling.

The couple plan a July wedding.

Hanning-Brauninger

Mr. and Mrs. James G. Hanning of Andover announce the engagement of their daughter, Irene, to Stephen K. Brauninger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald W. Brauninger of Peabody.

Ms. Hanning is a graduate of Andover High School and Merrimack College. She is an underwriting assistant at Chubb Group of Insurance Companies in Boston.

Mr. Brauninger is a graduate of Peabody Veterans Memorial High School, Merrimack College and Northeastern University.

He is an audiologist at Beverly Hospital in Beverly and Audiology Associates in Quincy.

The couple plan a June 22 wedding.

Ruel-Barnum

Jean S. Ruel of North Andover announces the engagement of her daughter, Stephanie, to Peter Barnum of Salisbury, son of Helen E. Barnum.

Ms. Ruel attended Andover High School and UMass Lowell.

Mr. Barnum also graduated from Andover High School.

He is a dairy farmer at Cold Springs Farm.

The couple plan an Aug. 18 wedding at Haverhill Country Club.

Turn to the Townsman for social news.

Georgian-Hahesy

Colleen and Ted Georgian of Andover announce the engagement of their daughter, Andrea, to Paul F. Hahesy Jr., son of Geralyn and Paul Hahesy of Duxbury.

Ms. Georgian received a bachelor of arts degree from Bates College and will receive an M.Ed. degree from Lesley College in April. She teaches English at a high school in Bridgewater.

Mr. Hahesy also received a bachelor of arts degree from Bates College. He is employed by John Hancock Finance in Boston.

The couple plan an August wedding.

Veno-Roberts engagement announced

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Veno of Andover announce the engagement of their daughter, Michelle, to Michael K. Roberts, son of Brian and Carolyn Roberts of Leominster.

Ms. Veno graduated from Andover High School in 1986 and UMass

Amherst in 1990. She is store manager of Irresistibles in Andover.

Mr. Veno graduated from Lunenburg High School in 1984 and UMass Dartmouth in 1989. He is facilities engineer at Aurolite Corp. in Worcester.

The couple plan an Oct. 19 wedding.

Iantosca-Kelley engagement set

Attileo and Helen Iantosca of Walpole announce the engagement of their daughter, Lisa Marie, to Christopher Andrew Kelley, son of Anne and Paul Kelley of Danvers.

Ms. Iantosca received a bachelor of arts in English and management from UMass Boston in 1989. She is general manager of Video Monitoring Services

of America in Boston.

Mr. Kelley graduated from Andover High School, and received a bachelor of arts degree in communications from Emerson College in 1987. He is an accounting executive with Fairbanks Communications WKLB-FM 105.7.

The couple plan a September 1997 wedding.



Julie Beth Pelliccione and
Karl R. Richardson

Pelliccione-Richardson

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Pelliccione of Andover announce the engagement of their daughter, Julie Beth, to Karl R. Richardson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Richardson of Manchester, N.H.

Ms. Pelliccione is a graduate of Andover High School and Assumption College. She is a customer service representative for General Eastern Instruments of Woburn.

Mr. Richardson attended Memorial High School in Manchester and is a graduate of Trinity-Pawling Preparatory School in Pawling, N.Y., and Assumption College. He is an account representative for Interstate Technical Services of Nashua, N.H.

The couple plan to wed in June.

► Babies celebrating their first birthdays, affiliated with Andover, may have their pictures in the *Townsman* free. They will appear in the issue dated the last Thursday of the month, in the month of baby's first birthday. All babies having a birthday this month will be published in the Feb. 29 issue. All photos must be received by 5 p.m. the previous Friday (Feb. 23).

Spring into action... be a volunteer, ACS asks

The American Cancer Society is looking forward to providing a touch of spring with its annual daffodil days celebration March 19-24. Bouquets of 10 flowers are \$5. Organizers said, "As we

begin to plan, we would like to invite area residents to get involved with this year's celebration of hope and spring.

For information, call the local ACS office at 454-0900.

An African American servant and a portrait of a lady

An interpretation of a servant from the early 19th-century is on display in the reception area of the Andover Historical Society, Andover's historical museum and research center, at 97 Main St.

The figure is next to a portrait of a lady from the same period. Both pieces were created by artist Will Cady Perkins of Abington, Conn., in 1985.

The installation commemorates one of the many roles African Americans played in Andover's and the nation's

history and will be display through February, Black History Month. A dramatic portrayal of Black Lucy Foster, a free slave and Andover resident from the same period, was recently presented at the opening ceremony for Andover's 350th anniversary.

The mannequin is made of fiberglass resin, latex and acrylic paints on a cloth-and-metal form. It was created for a diorama at the Ringling Museum in Sarasota, Fla. The portrait and frame are a copy taken from a painting

of an unknown woman from the 1820s and was commissioned by a Connecticut collector. Other examples of Mr. Perkins' work can be seen at Harvard University, the Statehouse in Boston, Beaufort in Gloucester and the faux marble floor in the front entrance hall of the historical society.

The portrait and mannequin are the second installation in the Contemporary Artist Series at the Andover Historical Society, featuring work by artists who live or work in Andover.



Priscilla Cox (left) and Louise Rotserge look up at the figure of a servant woman by local artist Will Cady at the Historical Society.

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350th Committee

Tickets for the dance Saturday, March 23, sponsored by Andover's 350th Anniversary Committee, go on sale this Saturday, Feb. 10, at anniversary headquarters at Old Town Hall.

Relations between Blacks and Jews

Martin Goldman will be the speaker at Temple Emanuel's Sabbath evening service tomorrow, Friday, Feb. 9.

Dr. Goldman, executive director at Merrimack College's Center for the Study of Jewish-Christian Relations, will discuss the past and present relations between Blacks and Jews.

His talk will include national and statewide issues, and should be "interesting and informative," organizers said.

Temple Emanuel is located at 7 Haggetts Pond Road. The service begins at 8:15 p.m. and is open to the public.

The dance will have a USO theme to honor Andover's veterans and attendees are invited to wear clothing of the era. Bo Winiker's Swing

Orchestra will perform. Light hors d'oeuvres, dessert and coffee will be offered and there will be a cash bar. The USO dance

will be held in the Grand Ballroom of Ramada Rolling Green on Lowell Street from 8 p.m. to midnight. Tickets are \$20 each.

The store at anniversary headquarters is open the following hours in February: Tuesday through Friday, 11 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., and

Saturdays, 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

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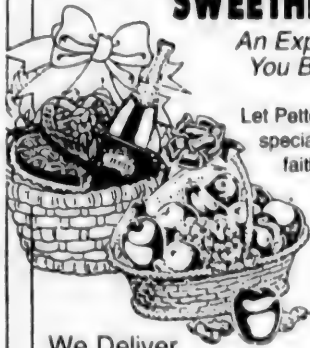
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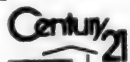
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by Ronald R. Hill, CLU, ChFC.



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According to a poll recently conducted by the Employee Benefit Research Institute, three employees in four are confident that they will live out their retirements comfortably, but most have not started to save for their retirements yet or even know how much money they will need. Adding further to this false confidence is the fact that the poll shows that most employees do not understand how long they will live. The average man who reaches age 65 this year will live to be 80, while the average woman will reach 84. Beyond that, most fail to realize how inflation will erode their savings. The average person's buying power has declined 50% since 1979. Lastly, 53% say that their personal savings will be their main source of retirement income, and 83% say they realize that they will need between 60% and 80% of their work income to maintain their living standard in retirement, but few have calculated how much they need to save to reach this goal. Please give us a call today. With no obligation on your part, we will be glad to sit down with you and help you work out a plan which, if pursued, will allow you to have a comfortable retirement. Written and verbal references attesting to our success in the area of retirement planning are available on request.

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OBITUARIES

Elmer O. Peterson Poultry farmer; was retired head of maintenance for Andover public schools

Elmer O. Peterson, 88, of Gilford, N.H., died Sunday, Feb. 4, at his home.

Mr. Peterson was born in Andover and graduated from Andover schools.

He was a poultry farmer on Greenwood Road and head of maintenance for the Andover school system when he retired in 1970.

Mr. Peterson was an air raid war-

den during World War II, and a member of the local Grange and of West Parish Church, where he was active in the Beaners Group.

He moved to Gilford in 1970.

He was a member of Gilford Community Church, where he was a custodian from 1972 to 1982.

Mr. Peterson was a member of Pairs and Spares and Friends of the Gilford Library.

Members of his family include his wife of 52 years, Betty S. (Sherman) Peterson of Gilford, N.H.; sons, David S. Peterson of Raymond, N.H., and Donald R. Peterson of Florissant, Colo.; daughter, Diana L. Dudley of

Gilford, N.H.; brother, Carl O. Peterson of Hamilton, Mont.; four grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

A funeral service will be held today, Thursday, Feb. 8, at 2 p.m. in Gilford Community Church in Gilford. Burial will be in Pine Grove Cemetery in Gilford in the spring.

Arrangements are by Dewhirst Funeral Home in Laconia, N.H.

Memorial contributions may be made to Elmer and Betty Peterson Children's Bible Fund, care of Gilford Community Church, 19 Potters Hill Road, Gilford, N.H. 03246, or to Community Health and Hospice, 780 N. Main St., Laconia, N.H. 03246.

Deaths Elsewhere

ALLAN - Jill A. (St. Germain) Allan, 41, of Haverhill died Friday, Feb. 2, at Hale Hospital in Haverhill.

Members of her family include her brother, Gary St. Germain of Andover.

BOUCHER - Wilfred J. Boucher, 76, of Haverhill died Saturday, Feb. 3, at his home. Members of his family include his son, Donald R. Boucher, and daughter, Felice Campinell, both of Andover.

FLEMING - Helen Caroline (Lewis) Fleming, 58, of Lawrence died Saturday, Feb. 3, at her daughter's home in Salisbury. Members of her family include her daughter, Laura A. Fleming of Andover.

KENNEALLY - Gertrude A. (Gallant) Ken-

neally, 79, of North Andover died Monday, Feb. 5, at St. Vincent Hospital in Portland, Ore., while visiting her daughter. Members of her family include her sister, Phyllis Fee of Andover.

LEVESQUE - Julien Levesque, 51, of Methuen died Friday, Feb. 2, at his home. Members of his family include his brother, Gerald Levesque of Andover.

RATCLIFFE - Howard I. Ratcliffe, 86, of Sun City, Ariz., died Saturday, Jan. 27, at Boswell Hospital in Sun City. Members of his family include his son, Allen Ratcliffe of Andover.

ROSKELL - Florence (Dorgan) Roskell, 85, of Liverpool, England, died Monday, Jan. 15. Members of her family include her daughter, Iris Roskell of Andover.

George Dunderdale Was retired pressman

George Harry Dunderdale, 71, of Andover died Tuesday, Jan. 30, at his home.

Mr. Dunderdale was born in Quincy.

He attended St. Augustine Church. Mr. Dunderdale was a pressman at *The Boston Globe* when he retired in 1990.

He was a Navy veteran of World War II and the Korean War.

Mr. Dunderdale was a member of Morrisette Post 294 of West Quincy and of the typesetters union.

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OBITUARIES

The *Townsmen* will publish obituaries of Andover residents without charge. The paper also will publish without charge a short announcement of those people who died and did not live here, but are related to someone who lives in Andover.

This listing will include the name of the deceased, where he or she lived, when he or she died, and names of relatives in Andover.

Those who wish to have a complete obituary published about a person who did not live in Andover can pay for a death notice. The cost of a death notice depends on the length of the notice. Questions? Call Jack Grady or Perry Colmore at 475-1943.



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by Garry A. Burke



THE KEY WHICH UNLOCKS THE DOOR

In place of the mystery and fear that often surrounds the notion of death, it may prove instructive to entertain other ideas about our finality. One does not necessarily have to search other cultures for examples of death being openly welcomed. In fact, a genius of our own Western culture offers up an interesting proposition. As Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart once wrote: "As death, when we come to consider it closely, is the true goal of our existence, I have formed during the last few years such close relations with this best and truest friend of mankind, that his image is no longer horrifying to me, but is indeed very soothing and consoling! And I thank my God for graciously granting me the opportunity...of learning that death is the key which unlocks the door to our true happiness."

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by Mark F. DeLorenzo, D.C.

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by Richard D. Hopgood, D.M.D.



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P.S. The American Dental Association suggests that children's dental appointments be scheduled in the morning, when children are usually most cooperative.

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OBITUARIES

George Dunderdale

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His family said he enjoyed gardening.

Members of his family include his daughters, Susan Dunderdale of Worcester, Pamela Dunderdale of Oregon, and Lena Glen Deaibes of Milton and her husband, Jack Deaibes; sons, Richard A. Dunderdale of Spencer, and George H. Dunderdale of Andover and his wife, Deborah Dunderdale; sister, Rita Stone of Braintree; brother, Paul McLean of Quincy; three grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

A Mass was said Friday at St. Augustine Church. Burial was in Spring Grove Cemetery.

Arrangements were by Burke Funeral Home.

Memorial contributions may be made to Merrimack Valley Hospice, 1 Union St., Andover, Mass. 01810.

Patricia A. Butler-Myers

Was a computer operator

Patricia A. Butler-Myers, 52, of Denver, Colo., died Thursday, Jan. 18, at her mother's home in Aurora, Colo.

Mrs. Butler-Myers was born in Lawrence. She graduated from Andover schools and lived in Andover most of her life. She moved to Denver in 1980.

Mrs. Butler-Myers was a computer operator.

Members of her family include her mother, Winniefred W. Butler of Aurora, Colo., brothers, William W. Butler of Salem, N.H., and James E. Butler of Stonington, Conn.; one niece; and several nephews and cousins.

She was the widow of Russell H. Myers Jr.

Arrangements were by Horan & McConaty Funeral Home of Aurora.

Memorial contributions may be made to Ballardvale United Church, 23 Clark Road, Andover, Mass. 01810, or to American Cancer Society, 2255 S. Oneida, Denver, Colo. 80224.

Chong Wha Pyun

Scientist researched polymers, taught at UMass Lowell

Chong Wha Pyun, 65, of Andover died Thursday, Feb. 1, of cancer.

Dr. Pyun was born in Korea. He graduated from Seoul National University in 1955 and received the Korean Presidential Award as the top student in his graduating class.

Dr. Pyun received a doctorate in chemistry from Brown University in 1964 and did postdoctoral research at the University of Oregon. He was a fellow at the University of Minnesota and at Carnegie-Mellon University.

Dr. Pyun joined the faculty of the University of Lowell, now known as the University of Massachusetts Lowell, in 1970 and taught chemistry and

physical chemistry.

He spent 1977-'78 as a US-AID visiting professor at Seoul National University and was a visiting professor at Pohang University of Science and Technology from 1986 to 1987.

Dr. Pyun published research papers on the theoretical problems in the fields of high polymers and chemical kinetics as well as on the history of science and technology.

He was president of the Korean-American Scientists and Engineers Association from 1976 to 1977.

Dr. Pyun received the Order of Civil Merit (Camellia Medal) in 1978 from the South Korean government for his contributions to the development of science and technology. Last August he received the Honorary Citizenship Award from the metropolitan government of Seoul as an exceptional overseas Korean at the 50th anniversary of Korean independence.

Members of his family include his wife, Hae Yung (Chung) Pyun of Andover; daughters, Eumi of Austin, Texas, and Elise of Northborough; four brothers and two sisters in Korea; and three grandchildren.

Services were held Monday in Calvary Methodist Church in Arlington.

Arrangements were by Wilson and Fudge Funeral Home in Arlington.

Mildred L. Ash

Formerly of Andover

Mildred L. (Lowe) Ash, 87, of Methuen died Friday, Feb. 2, at her home.

Mrs. Ash was born in Methuen and educated in Lawrence schools. She graduated from Lawrence General Hospital School of Nursing in 1929.

Mrs. Ash lived in Andover before she moved to Methuen many years ago.

She was the Red Cross Visiting Nurse for the town of Andover from the mid-1930s through the mid-1940s.

Mrs. Ash was a former member of the Lawrence General Hospital School of Nursing Advisory Board and of the hospital's Volunteer Aid Association.

She was a member of First Calvary Baptist Church in North Andover.

She was a former member of Andover Country Club.

Mrs. Ash was an accomplished artist and needlecrafter and an avid golfer.

Members of her family include her sister, Dorothy L. (Lowe) (Santuccio) Bresnahan of Andover; several nieces and nephews; and several grand- and great-grandnieces and nephews.

She was the widow of Abraham Ash, M.D., who died Dec. 22, 1955.

Funeral services were held Monday at Charles F. Dewhirst Funeral Home in Methuen. Cremation followed at Linwood Crematory.

Memorial contributions may be made to Merrimack Valley Hospice, 1 Union St., Andover, Mass. 01810; Lawrence General Hospital Foundation, 1 General St., Lawrence, Mass. 01840; or Holy Family Hospital, 70 East St., Methuen, Mass. 01844.

A combined memorial service will be held for Abraham and Mildred Ash Wednesday, Feb. 21, in Kurth Auditorium at Lawrence General Hospital at 11 a.m.

James Dukas

Helped his son establish Lantern Brunch restaurant

James Dukas, 89, of 30 Railroad St. died Sunday, Feb. 4, at Lawrence General Hospital.

Mr. Dukas was born in New Bedford.

He helped his son establish the Lantern Brunch restaurant.

Mr. Dukas attended Sts. Constantine and Helen Church.

Members of his family include his wife, Angela (Carras) Dukas of Andover; sons and daughters-in-law, Robert and Nancy Dukas of Falmouth and George and Priscilla Dukas of Andover; sisters, Mary Kacamburas of West Medford and Adolpha Karasoulos of Athens, Greece; three grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

A memorial Mass was celebrated Wednesday at Sts. Constantine and Helen Church. Burial was in West Parish Cemetery.

Arrangements were by Burke Funeral Home.

Memorial contributions may be made to Sts. Constantine and Helen Church, 71 Chandler Road, Andover, Mass. 01810.

Ruth Lauder

Past president of Shawsheen Village Womans Club

Ruth (Shaw) Lauder, 78, of Jensen Beach, Fla., a former resident of both Andover and North Andover, died Friday, Feb. 2, at her home at 8750 South A1A, following a lengthy illness.

Mrs. Lauder was born in Methuen. She graduated from Edward F. Searles High School in 1933 and from Lowell State Teachers College (now the University of Massachusetts Lowell) in 1937. She taught in the Methuen school system before her marriage in 1943.

She served as chairman of the Andover Campfire Girls executive board during the 1950s.

Mrs. Lauder was a past president of the Shawsheen Village Womans Club and was active in its drama department and bowling league.

She was an avid bridge player with Masters points, and her hobbies included reading and knitting.

Mrs. Lauder was a parishioner of South Congregational Church of Andover before she moved to Hampton, N.H., in 1971.

She became an active member of the American Association of University Women in Florida and helped raise scholarship funds for disadvantaged students.

Members of her family include her husband, Gordon B. Lauder of Jensen

Beach, Fla., the former president and owner of Lawrence Maid Shoe Co.; son, Col. Keith Lauder, USAF, of Hampton, N.H.; daughters, Kathy Byron of Jensen Beach, Fla., and Leona Schwab of Tiburon, Calif., and her husband, George Schwab; brother and sister-in-law, Russell Shaw of Lake Placid, Fla., and his wife, Mary Jane Shaw; sister-in-law and brother-in-law, Janet and Jerry Henley of Naples, Fla., three grandchildren and two nephews.

An outdoor memorial service was held Saturday on the pavillion of Island Dunes overlooking the ocean at Hutchinson Island, Fla. Cremation followed the next day.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Stuart Branch of the AAUW Memorial Scholarship Fund, c/o Jane MacCallum, 1900 South Kanter Highway, Stuart, Fla. 34994.

Jane M. Scholtz

Secretary at South School from 1960 to 1979

Jane M. (Dana) Scholtz, 85, of Andover, died Friday, Feb. 2, at Lawrence General Hospital.

Mrs. Scholtz was born in Canton and graduated from Canton High School.

She had lived in Andover for 52 years.

Mrs. Scholtz was a secretary at South School from 1960 to 1979, when she retired.

She was a longtime member of Ballardvale United Church and belonged to its church guild.

She was a member of Andover Order of Eastern Star, Chapter 187.

Members of her family include her son, Dana C. Scholtz of Andover; brother, Elmer G. Dana of Canton; sister, Elizabeth Dana Tschirch of Rehobeth; and several nieces and nephews.

She was the widow of Curtis S. Scholtz, who died in 1980.

Services were held Monday at Ballardvale United Church. Burial was in Spring Grove Cemetery.

Arrangements were by Edgerley & Bessom Andover Funeral Home.

Memorial contributions may be made to Ballardvale United Church, 23 Clark Road, Andover, Mass. 01810.

George E. Monan

Former resident was active with area Boy Scouts

George E. Monan, 70, of Lawrence died Saturday, Feb. 3, at his home.

Mr. Monan was born in New Rochelle, N.Y.

He served in the Marines during World War II and received numerous medals, including the Silver Star.

He was a former resident of Andover.

Mr. Monan was formerly active with Boy Scout troops in the Greater Lawrence area.

Members of his family include his

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OBITUARIES

George E. Monan

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daughters, Linda A. Monan of Wareham, Donna E. Ouellette of North Andover, Sandra Letourneau of Lawrence and Judith A. Martin of Epping, N.H.; son, Howard A. Monan of Wareham; 10 grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

He was the father of the late Gary A. Monan.

A graveside service will be held tomorrow, Friday, Feb. 9, at 1 p.m. at Spring Grove Cemetery. Cremation will take place at Linwood Crematory. At the request of the family there are no calling hours.

Arrangements are by Burke Funeral Home.

Herve Pelletier Sr. Lived here for many years

Herve P. Pelletier Sr., 63, of Shrewsbury died Thursday, Feb. 1, at University of Massachusetts Medical Center in Worcester.

Mr. Pelletier was born in Lawrence and lived in Andover for many years. He lived in Methuen before moving to Shrewsbury 15 years ago.

Mr. Pelletier was an Army veteran. He served in Panama during the Korean War.

He had been a sales manager of packaging supplies for Sweetlife Food for 22 years. He

was a salesman of packaging supplies for Ziff Paper Co. when he retired last year.

Mr. Pelletier was a member of St. Mary of the Hills Church in Boylston.

He was also a member of the American Legion and the Grovers, a bowling team with Sweetlife Foods. He was an associate member of Wachusett Country Club.

Members of his family include his wife of 15 years, Frances M. (Campbell) Pelletier of Shrewsbury; sons, Herve Pelletier Jr. of Grafton, Vt., Michael Pelletier of Salem, N.H., James Pelletier of Waldorf, Md., John Pelletier of Lawrence, Kevin Pelletier of Methuen, Donald Mirabito of Grafton, and Thomas Mirabito of Shrewsbury; daughters, Maxine Pierce of Hudson, N.H., Maureen Winship of Kingston, N.H., Faith Pelletier of Methuen, Donna McCann of Huntersville, N.C., and Jeannine Barrett of Boylston; brother, Wilfred Pelletier of Andover; sisters, Irene Pelletier-Croteau of Dover, N.H., and Rita Pelletier-Fluet of Andover; 14 grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Services were held Monday at Mercadante Funeral Home in Worcester. A Mass followed at St. Mary of the Hills Church in Boylston. Burial will be at the convenience of the family.

Oscar M. Hansen Was a mason with the Boston & Maine Railroad

Oscar Martin Hansen, 91, died Thursday, Feb. 1, in Sarasota, Fla.

Mr. Hansen attended Wentworth Institute.

He had formerly lived in Andover and Lowell.

Mr. Hansen was a mason with the Boston & Maine Railroad for 45 years.

Members of his family include his daughter, Karen Hansen Carpenter, formerly of Andover and Lowell; seven grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; and a

daughter-in-law.

He was the widower of Winifred Hansen, his wife for 64 years, and father of the late Robert E. Hansen.

Graveside services were held Monday at Lowell Cemetery.

Arrangements were made by the Toale Brothers Funeral Home of Sarasota, Fla.

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Susan Faxon, associate director of the Addison Gallery of American Art, will present a slide lecture on 18th-century portraits Wednesday, Feb. 14, at 7:30 p.m. in the Meeting Room Gallery of the Andover Historical Society, 97 Main St.

Representative paintings of Colonial men and women show how Andover's leading families dressed and adorned themselves. Gentlemen like Colonel Thomas Addison, William Lambert and Captain Daniel Mackay will be illustrated. Eleanor Addison, Margaret D. Hamilton and Mary Elizabeth Martin will be the female examples. Descendants of Capt. Mack-

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Ways of controlling growth in Andover

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that, you have to link it to the concern."

A community can set a moratorium for only a specified time period. And it must include a schedule of what will be done to address the concern during that period, according to Mr. Colyer.

"You have to have a very good legal reason," said Kaija Gilmore, Andover building inspector. "It would be against the home owner and land owner and legally risky."

The reason for a moratorium would have to be for public safety, such as insufficient fire or police protection, or for public health, such as a threat to the water supply. That was the case in North Andover a few years ago when its water supply was contaminated and that town was buying water from Andover, Ms. Gilmore said.

North Andover passed a "phase-development bylaw" in 1986, but it was not really a moratorium, according to Bob Nicetta, North Andover building inspector.



"You have to have a very good legal reason," said Kaija Gilmore, Andover building inspector.

"They slowed it down through a phase development," said Mr. Nicetta, who was not working in North Andover at the time.

The bylaw, which is still on the books, controls how many lots of a development can be built in a given year. For example, in a one- to six-lot development, all the lots could be built in one year. In a seven- to 20-lot development, no more than 10 houses could be built each year; 21 to 34 lots, only 33 percent a year; 35 to 50 lots, no more than 25 percent each year. (This is similar to a bylaw proposal Andover voters will see at April Town Meeting.)

"It's still in effect, but different things come into it," Mr. Nicetta said.

One of those "things" is that a developer has a right to seek a variance from the Board of Appeals to get around the restriction.

Tom Urbelis, Andover town counsel, said it is premature for him to comment on the legal ramifications of limiting permits. But he said he currently is looking at the issue as it applies to at

least one article on the upcoming Town Meeting warrant.

Rezoning

The only way to stop development is with rezoning, according to Mr. Colyer.

Ms. Gilmore agrees with that sentiment, if rezoning can be accomplished. But she said most communities take too conservative an approach to zoning.

"It's a serious battle," she said.

Ms. Gilmore gave as an example the Rose Champy land adjacent to Den Rock Park. Two bids in the past year to rezone that property have failed at town meeting, despite the support of planners and selectmen in the last effort. Both those proposals have been resubmitted and are likely to be back on the warrant this April.

"The (Champy) rezoning, in my opinion, would not have hurt anything at all," Ms. Gilmore said.

"Rezoning is a very poor tool (to slow down growth) because it's so tough to come by," Ms. Gilmore said. "As a growth management tool, zoning changes would probably be the last one I would ever consider, especially in Andover."

A bid to change minimum lot sizes in SRA zones from one to two acres failed in Andover several years ago. But the town of Edgartown passed a bylaw requiring three-acre house lots and it was recently upheld in court. That case is being seen as a landmark decision across the state, and as support for the notion that a community can control and direct its development.

Backfire

Both moratoriums and rezoning efforts aimed at reducing development can backfire, at least in the short term.

As soon as land owners or developers hear a moratorium is being considered, or that a proposal is coming up for restrictive zoning, subdivision plans usually flood the building office, and properties that might not have been developed for years - if at all - are suddenly on the drawing board, Mr. Colyer said. The Title 5 septic scare last year was an example of that, he said. When the new, stricter regulations were looming, the building department was hit with a flurry of plans from those who feared losing their opportunity to build, or having to spend a lot more money to do so once the new septic rules were in place.

And as far as rezoning is concerned, any plans already approved when zoning is changed are protected for eight years. So instead of halting or slowing



"Growth is inevitable as long as there's room to grow," said Steve Colyer, Andover's planning director.



Photo by Lisa Adelsberger

This is Lot 39 on Basswood Lane in the 59-lot Fieldstone Meadows subdivision off Dascomb Road, across from Lovejoy Road. Plans for the development were approved in 1991.



Photo by Lisa Adelsberger

This photo was taken looking down Basswood Lane toward Acorn Lane, near Dascomb Road.

construction, it can hasten it because builders then would have deadlines for completing their work.

Yvon Cormier, owner of Andover Country Club, has subdivision plans already approved for more than 150 houses in one development. If he were put into a position to have to build all those homes in a short period of time or chance losing them, that could cause a significant impact on schools and the community. It throws off a more natural progression of growth, Mr. Colyer said.

"There's kind of this ebb and flow of growth rates and support services, how

they keep up with each other," Mr. Colyer said. That balance would be knocked for a loop by either a moratorium or rezoning threat, he said.

"To my knowledge, I don't know of any town or city in the Commonwealth that has been able to develop controls to limit growth," Ms. Gilmore said.

"Growth is inevitable as long as there's room to grow. It's a matter of sequencing it. Putting the breaks on it all at once - that creates chaos," Mr. Colyer said.

Next week: Limiting sewer extensions, and looking at town water as a way to slow down development.

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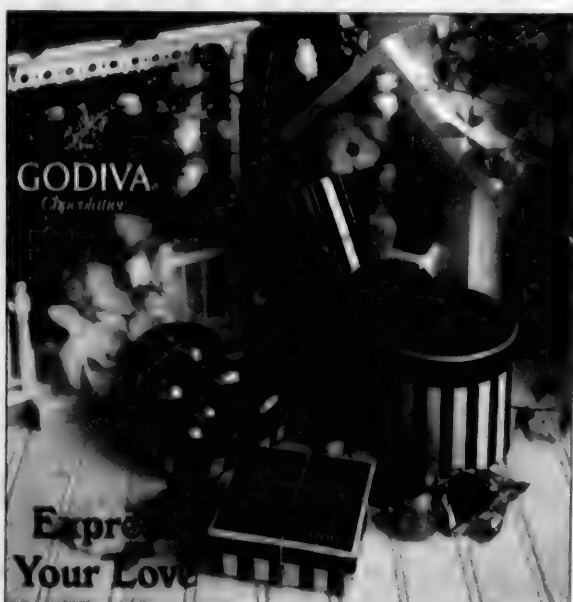
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The flames are almost out and the smoke has taken over by the time this photo was taken of the Cross Street fire Monday. The owner said he had a 100-year-old mahogany dining table and that now, "There's not even a sign of where it was."



Photo by Lisa Adelsberger

Andover firefighter Jackie Lynch takes a quick break to shake some ice from her helmet during Monday's fire.

Fire guts historic house on Cross Street

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Firefighters entered and searched the building because they did not know it was unoccupied. A cat, Ophella, was found dead in the main section of the house, and a dog was found in the basement, wet, matted and cowering in a corner. Digby, a terrier mix, was given oxygen at the scene and taken to Andover Animal Hospital where he was in stable condition and good spirits Tuesday while being treated for smoke inhalation.

There was heavy smoke damage throughout the house, and heavy water damage to the first floor.

"It's definitely uninhabitable," Deputy Boush said, adding that a lot of

antiques and artifacts were damaged or destroyed. "It will be devastating for sure.

"The cause of the fire is directly related to a wood stove," Deputy Boush said. "The stove was going."

Members of two engine companies, the ladder company, an ambulance and the deputy fire chief responded to the fire and battled the blaze. Firefighters were fortunate there was a working hydrant at 57 Cross St., the deputy said.

"The fact that the building is still standing - it was a hell of a stop," Dep. Boush said.

Firefighters were on the scene for several hours wetting down hot spots and cleaning up. Temperatures were



Photo by Lisa Adelsberger

Firefighter Kevin Moore sprays water into the Cross Street house through a broken window. That's firefighter Jackie Lynch on the right. The owner, Richard Bonier, said Tuesday night, "Everything is covered with deep orange-yellow caramel goop."

Brookside residents back at home after January fire

By Don Staruk

The last of nine Brookside Drive families displaced by a fire in their apartment building Jan. 7 returned to their home this past weekend.

All nine families had been housed at the Courtyard by Marriott hotel on Campanelli drive after the fire.

The fire was started by an incense punk mishandled by an 8-year-old boy in one of the apartments, according to Deputy Fire Chief Robert Boush. Flames gutted that apartment and caused smoke damage throughout the eight-unit building and an attached townhouse. Deputy Boush credited firefighters with confining what he described as a very hot fire to the one apartment.

"It was quite a stop," Deputy Boush said.

Charlene Dyke, Brookside Estates office assistant, said this week that all the damage has been repaired in the building except for the one unit gutted by the fire, where reconstruction is still ongoing. The family from that apartment has been moved to another unit in the complex.

Ms. Dyke said several donations were received from other tenants to aid the family who lost their possessions in the fire. Putnam Furniture in Chelmsford donated three months of free furniture rental to the family, and a little girl who lost a bird to smoke

well below freezing at the time of the fire.

Mr. Bonier, 63, a psychologist, viewed the damage late Monday afternoon. He spent Monday evening at the house of his ex-wife, Carolyn Bonier, on Chestnut Street, and will be staying with his girlfriend in South Boston for the immediate future, according to his daughter.



Photo by Deputy Fire Chief Robert Boush

Firefighters Robert Stabile, left, and Mike Giammasi survey the damage after the Jan. 7 fire at 650 Brookside Drive in West Andover.

inhalation had it replaced for free by SeaWorld pet store in Salem, N.H.

"Everything seems to be working out well," Ms. Dyke said.

"He's completely lost just about everything," Frances Downing said.

Mr. Bonier is a collector of Tibetan, Chinese and pre-Columbian artifacts. "And all of those are just gone," he said Tuesday night. "Those things are not replaceable."

"We picked out what we could salvage," she said. "His art collection is not insured, but the house is."

Gary Coon is quitting, Barry Finegold is running

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vate sector or academia."

Mr. Finegold said he will continue to serve on the Board of Selectmen, and will also keep his job with Mercantile Bank.

"I just see it as a way to enhance my service to the town. It's not going to affect my commitment as far as the selectmen. I do think it's in the best interest of the town to have someone serving in both positions. This isn't uncommon," Mr. Finegold said. "I'm not going to be a full-time politician. That's something I don't want to do. I have a full-time job in the mortgage banking industry and I'm going to keep that."

Mr. Finegold said he was "very surprised" about Rep. Coon's decision.

As far as his own campaign is concerned, "It's started," Mr. Finegold said.

"I'm ready to go. I'm very excited about it and it's going to be a good campaign. I do expect that it's going to be a crowded field, but I'm going to campaign like I've never campaigned before," Mr. Finegold said. "I don't run against anybody. I'm running for an office and I welcome all challengers."

Rep. Coon planned to inform his

"kitchen cabinet," his staff and supporters, of his decision, Tuesday night. He will serve out his third two-year term, which runs through Dec. 30 of this year.

"My self imposed term limit was eight years, and I am a believer in term limits and a citizen legislature," Rep. Coon said. "I never intended to be a career state representative."

"I have no specific plans. I feel it's been a wonderful six years," Rep. Coon said. "I will continue to seek ways to serve my community."

Rep. Coon, 31, of 77 Main St., consulted only with his family and long-time aide, Wendy Wakeman, before making his decision, he said. He spent most of Tuesday in his 89 Main St. office preparing and mailing press releases and letters to his supporters.

"The governor doesn't know, so it's not like he's going out for an appointment," Ms. Wakeman said Tuesday.

Rep. Coon said he does not have any plans to run for Congress.



Gary Coon

"I haven't closed the window on it, but I'm not actively pursuing a congressional seat for 1996, or actively pursuing any elected office for 1996," he said.

Rep. Coon said the only reason for the timing of his announcement was that Tuesday was the first day nomination papers were available for state office, and he wanted to make his plans known to give anyone interested more time to make a decision or to mount a campaign. But he would not speculate on who might seek the open seat.

"I don't know at this point who might run," he said.

Rep. Coon beat four-term incumbent Democrat Susan Tucker in 1990 to capture the 17th Essex District State House seat, which includes seven of Andover's eight precincts and part of Lawrence. He successfully defended it two years later against Democrat Ellen Murphy, and last year he ran unopposed.

"I ran in 1990 when we were rated



Barry Finegold

the worst managed state in the country and our state's fiscal situation was a mess, and I feel we've made great progress over these three terms," Rep. Coon said. He said the state is now ranked the 11th best managed state in the country.

Rep. Coon is the assistant whip for the House Republican Caucus. He's served on the committees on Taxation; Commerce and Labor; Post Audit and Oversight; Federal Financial Assistance; and Ways and Means.

He said he is looking forward to being part of the legislative leadership team this year, part of which will be helping Gov. Weld reduce his cabinet from 11 members to six, and reducing taxes along the way. He will also serve as the Senate district coordinator for Gov. Weld's U.S. Senate race, as he did for the governor's re-election campaign.

"There's plenty of work to do in 1996 that I look forward to working on and giving it my all my final year of the term," Rep. Coon said.

Former Democratic state Rep. Susan Tucker said Wednesday she won't run for the seat. "I have a very full professional life right now," she said. "I think it will ignite a good political spark in Andover."

List of possible add-back items for AHS created

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dows in the existing building;

- \$63,000 to put motorized shades in the new gym to keep glare off the courts;

- \$12,000 for portable bleachers to seat 300 to 400 in the new gym; and

- \$60,000 to shape the entry plaza outside the cafeteria to create an amphitheatre-type area for students to congregate after lunch.

This list and other ideas will be discussed tonight at the building committee meeting at Sanborn School.

Michael Parsons, building committee member, said he expects the committee to also discuss how much in contingency funds it really needs and what items they are willing to cut from the project today.

"The committee is still looking at potential deductions, hopefully that don't interfere with the scope of the buildings," he said.

But, according to comments by Mr. Parsons, it may be difficult for residents to make sure the final product matches what they voted for. The plan voted on at the 1994 Town Meeting was

more of a dream than a detailed list of items to be included, said Mr. Parsons.

"At Town Meeting there was no fixed proposal as to any individual (item) that would be included in the new building," he said. For instance, "There was no proposal that there would be a new, blue running track."

As for what may be added back in, Mr. Parsons notes some of the contingency money will be needed to pay for temporary heat in the existing building. Originally, the project was going to be completed in September, but now that it could run into next winter, the

areas to be renovated will require this temporary heat. Mr. Parsons estimates the cost at \$150,000.

As for good news, Mr. Parsons said the contractor is calling for far fewer change orders than it did earlier in the project.

"At one point there was a great deal of vile being spewed by the general contractor in his request for documents," said Mr. Parsons. "I would go so far as to say it (now) looks like the architects and contractor are beginning to work together."

Several Andover firefighters receive commendations

By Don Staruk

Selectmen gave commendations to 10 firefighters Monday night for their work at the scene of a fatal accident on Route 495 on Nov. 28, 1995.

"After reviewing the incident, I feel the (firefighters) acted in a most professional and noteworthy manner and deserve the town's recognition for a job well done," Chief Harold Hayes said in requesting the recognition.

When firefighters and ambulance personnel arrived at the scene, an 80-year-old New Jersey woman was already dead, there were two "walking wounded," according to one report,

'I feel they acted in a most professional and noteworthy manner and deserve the town's recognition for a job well done.'

Chief Harold Hayes

and a fourth man was pinned under a van.

Those honored included Firefighters Joseph P. Cahill, John G. McMullen, Paul J. Girard, Dennis M. Sullivan, Wayne R. Merola, Raymond J. Lynch, James L. Landry and Barry S. Thornton; and Lieutenants David F. Lynch

and Sandy W. Poulin.

According to police and fire reports, the woman was alone in her Cadillac traveling south on Route 495 about a half mile south of Route 28 when she lost control, drove up the hill on the median through some brush and crashed head-on into a red Ford pickup

truck heading northbound on the highway. The red pickup then went airborne and crashed into a blue minivan also traveling north. A fourth car, which was also traveling north, was also hit.

The driver of the truck, William J. Hoegen, 40, of Freemont, N.H., was thrown from his vehicle and landed underneath the minivan. Firefighters used an air bag and tow truck to lift the van, then firefighters Joe Cahill and John McMullen climbed under the vehicle to treat Mr. Hoegen. The front bumper of Mr. Hoegen's truck somehow wrapped around his leg, and firefighters used the Jaws-of-Life hydraulic tool to free him.

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Don't let budget talks make us crazy

Music teacher Stephen Heimlich sent home a notice to parents with elementary school children this week saying that "in a closed session of the School Committee, a vote was approved to eliminate the elementary instrumental lesson program."

In the next sentence, he called it a "proposed cut." A proposed cut and "a vote approved to eliminate" are not the same thing.

In fact, the School Committee did not talk about cuts to the elementary- and middle-school music program in a *closed* session. They discussed the possibility in an open, posted session, Thursday, Feb. 1. The committee will discuss the budget (including music) Monday, Feb. 12, 7 p.m. in the South School cafeteria.

Residents say they can't afford large additions to their tax bills, so all boards in town currently are looking for ways to cut budgets, and that includes considering the elementary- and middle-music programs.

At the selectmen's meeting Monday, board members were discussing line by line the town manager's proposed budget in preparation for April Town Meeting. Town Manager Buzz Stapczynski, in our opinion, had developed an inexpensive and creative way to get some of the work done in his office. Mr. Stapczynski used to have two people working in his office. That was cut to 1.5 people, and now he has only one: a personal secretary who, according to Selectman Jerry Silverman, is often doing mundane chores and is therefore not available for more important business.

Mr. Stapczynski has added \$10,000 to his budget for two positions: a high-school student to do some simple, part-time clerical work and a college intern to do some of the projects the manager is unable to complete today. The selectmen discussed the \$10,000 item for more than 30 minutes, with Selectman Barry Finegold saying again and again that the item should be cut. "We're nickel and diming something that's ridiculous," said Mr. Silverman. We agree with Mr. Silverman.

In the town's drive to complete the school building project, and therefore to cut spending from any place possible, let's not lose our heads, which is what music teacher Stephen Heimlich seems to have done with his misinformed letter to parents, and what Selectman Finegold seems to have done in suggesting a \$10,000 cut that is pretty much nickel and diming the budget to death.



Photo by Lisa Adelsberger

The School Committee room at the school administration offices was packed with people Tuesday night. Many residents wanted to talk about possible cuts to the schools budget. But they were told to come to a budget workshop the committee will hold Monday, Feb. 12, at 7 p.m. in the South School cafeteria.

Some suggestions for Valentine's presents

By Perry Colmore

Next Wednesday is Valentine's Day, which isn't that big a deal. That is, unless you're alone, or unless you're not alone and your mate doesn't notice it's Valentine's Day. I would say women care about Valentine's Day more than men, but I haven't done a survey, and I don't want to be accused of being sexist.

In honor of Valentine's Day, I thought about running all over Andover and picking out the best gifts for Valentine's Day, but I might overlook an advertiser and get us into trouble. But check out the stores here; there's a lot to please your valentine, male or female.

Instead, I looked on line, and found that America Online's marketing group conducted a survey for last Valentine's Day. This is what 882 women said when asked what kinds of gifts they'd like best for the occasion. And I have added some of my own thoughts to what women want.

• 34 percent picked flowers as the perfect choice. No doubt. You can't go wrong with flowers for a woman. I

know a man who was sent flowers by a woman and the first thing out of his mouth was he'd rather have a fifth of whiskey. I once sent my husband a plant, at his office. It died. I think he liked it, but he probably forgot to water it.

• 30 percent choose jewelry. Women love anything with hearts.

• 23 percent would like to have a romantic dinner. Who wouldn't?

• 7 percent said "other." This is a family newspaper.

• 3 percent wanted candy. I say be careful with this one; you could be accused of sabotaging a diet. If your loved one isn't on a diet, go for it; candy, especially good candy, is wonderful.

• 3 percent selected perfume. I'm down on perfume - too smelly, makes it hard for some people to breathe if there's too much.

According to America Online, an overwhelming 77 percent of the women they surveyed last year said that they would like to hear the words "I love you" at least once a day. However, only 62 percent said that they actually heard these three little words at least once a day. Shame on you guys. Tell her. It's easy. And we love to hear it. Of course I'm assuming if you're a woman you tell your significant other several times a day that you love him. If you don't, try it.

He probably will like it after he stops wondering what you want.

AOL says that 17 percent would like to hear it once a week or more, and, only once a month (3 percent) followed in third place. Only 1 percent of women never want to hear the words "I love you" from their mate. What in the world do they want to hear?

"Courting" is coming back into style, similar to the way it was in the '50s and '60s, according to AOL. "So it's probably no big surprise that men are the big purchasers on Valentine's Day," the AOL release says. In fact, men account for 70 percent of all sales made for this holiday. Now that does surprise me. Sort of.

Men may be in for a surprise when they hear who AOL says female shoppers are buying for. More women purchase flowers on Valentine's Day for their mom (24 percent) than they do for their significant other (21 percent). Sisters, friends and relatives round out their shopping list. Wow. Now I think I'll buy my husband a book, or is that too predictable? Candy? That's sabotaging his trips to YMCA aerobics classes. Silk boxers? Not a bad idea. Flowers? No, I don't think so. Maybe a romantic dinner at home. Or tickets to a concert. Or... Well, he'll have to wait and see.



LETTERS

Worrying about music in the schools

Editor, *Townsmen*:

I understand that the School Committee has voted to eliminate instrumental music programs in the elementary schools. Two of the three positions would be eliminated and the remaining instructor would then be responsible for both band and orchestra in the middle and high schools.

Programs outside of school hours such as All Town Orchestra and middle school Jazz Band would be eliminated. I understand that this is being done to try to reduce the school budget to the amount that the town administration wants to recommend to Town Meeting. These changes would effectively destroy instrumental music in the Andover schools since the elementary programs act as feeders to the middle school and high school programs.

In my opinion this is not a good way to meet the budget necessities. Instrumental music should be an important part of the educational experience. There have been comments that not many children would be affected. I understand that there are approximately 100 band and string students in each elementary school. This looks to be about 28 percent of the third-, fourth- and fifth-grade students. This is both a significant number and percentage.

I understand that the difference between the budget estimated by the school administration and the amount allocated by the town manager is about \$1 million of a total \$27 million or about 4 percent. To meet that 4-percent reduction, the music program is taking a 23-percent reduction in salaries. While I don't believe that there is a specific anti-music agenda, I do feel that this is not an equitable distribution of reductions. In the following paragraphs I will offer some thought as to the value of the instrumental music program. Note that as with most of education, the lessons are best learned at the earliest possible age.

I have never heard of a culture that did not produce music and that did not also produce music by other than vocal means. Music is as basic to the human intellect as language. Music, along with mathematics and visual art, is a non-verbal mode of thought. The child's intellect is stretched by exercising these portions of the mind. Instrumental music also produces whole-body involvement exercising visual, aural and tactile senses and fine and gross motor skills.

Music programs and particularly instrumental programs foster discipline in students. It quickly becomes obvious to the student that lack of practice affects performance. There is immediate reward for practice. The student learns that one must work hard at a difficult task to achieve success. The nature of music allows the task to be tailored to the ability level of the student. The student learns self-

evaluation; any player can and must learn to honestly evaluate his or her own performance. Self-motivation proceeds from this knowledge.

Music programs foster team work. The group performance is dependent on the individual. Each individual's performance is reinforced and enhanced by the group. The group must act together. The success of the group is dependent on each individual. Each individual must be present at performances and must do their best. Athletics are highly praised for encouraging team work and rightly so. Music offers the same valuable experiences to the non-athlete.

I am not a musician. I did have the benefits of instrumental music programs in public school from fourth grade through high school. I have not played since high school. I believe that I was the recipient of some of the aforementioned benefits. I do have three children in the instrumental music programs in Andover. The one in elementary school would be directly affected by this decision. The middle- and high-school students would be affected due to the personnel shift and the increased work load to the only remaining instrumental instructor should this decision be implemented.

I believe that I would be as concerned about the cuts to the music programs even if I did not have children in the school system since I believe that a community has a duty to provide the best possible education for its children. I would like the School Committee to consider my comments and to reconsider its decision to gut the Andover school's instrumental music program.

Dwight L. Davis
43 Oriole Drive

His complaint is incompetency all around this town

Editor, *Townsmen*:

This may be a waste of effort since you decided not to print my last letter (for undisclosed reasons) and this will cover some of the same ground. However, age brings tolerance even with editors who abhor censorship of their product while they apply it to others.

It is about time someone stopped promoting the self-serving fiction that Andover is a well-managed town. Recently the president of one of our most prominent and successful businesses was quoted as saying "the problem is management." He could very well have said mis-management and one of the reasons is lack of accountability.

The school department documented its case for poor and costly maintenance. The town manager responded that he thinks maintenance is doing a good job. That's accountability?

The DPW is asked why it costs three

times as much to plow Andover streets as surrounding towns. The non-answer, "I think we are doing a good job." That's accountability?

Then we are facing the catastrophic bungling at the High School. While giving credit, if you desire, to committee members who donate their time to meetings and the vital subject of logo design, who on that or the building committee is qualified to oversee a project of this magnitude?

In spite of vociferous protests from concerned residents, including me, they proceeded to waste thousands and thousands of dollars on a new driveway before they had important educational needs covered within the override budget. I sincerely hope the new driveway adds to educational excellence as a substitute for computers.

Next the contractor, the architect, and the town are suing and countersuing with each claiming the other is responsible for delays and cost overruns while the School Committee's only response is, "We need more money."

The only sensible comment I have read so far was from a member of the building committee who allegedly said he was thoroughly confused about the whole project. Join the club.

Back to plowing costs. During a recent snowstorm our street was plowed very well. The problem of higher costs starts after the storm ceased. My wife and I counted nine (repeat nine) plows going down the street - but they were not plowing because the street was clear. The first four were tailgating each other with their blades up. The five others followed at periodic intervals - only one had the blade down. His prime objective appeared to be pushing snow into the end of previously shoveled driveways since the streets had been plowed to maximum width. These plows were obviously adding billable hours. The question is who is being held responsible for this waste? If there were no other benefit such as a tax saving, the money could be used on other maintenance projects.

I am really writing this on behalf of some senior citizens and others on a fixed income on the slim chance that someone will listen. The selectmen, town manager and the committees apparently care not a whit about those who cannot raise their income to meet ever escalating taxes, water bills, medical costs, etc. I have lived in Andover for 35 years and watched hopelessly as it turns into a high-cost traffic zoo. We are now the oldest residents on our street as friends and neighbors are leaving as fast as possible.

I asked several residents how they felt about the High School fiasco. Most said they are "rippin' mad." I hope they express that at Town Meeting, although it will probably do no good. The vocal minority will pack the meeting to take advantage of the ridiculous rule that a quorum is not needed - a majority of those attending can pass a warrant item. The rallying cry from

the above-mentioned will be, "We can't stop now, we are in too deep." To which I would add, "They are in over their heads, unfortunately, they are dragging the rest of us with them."

Hal O'Connor
16 Smithshire Estates

Why make such a big deal over the Golden Warrior at AHS?

Editor, *Townsmen*:

If all that the citizens and high school students of Andover have to complain about is the Golden Warrior logo, then is it any wonder this world is as screwed up as it is?

Why is everyone making such a big deal over what one crybaby started? Recently I purchased two tickets to a hockey game at my alma mater, Merrimack College. To my surprise, guess what was printed on the tickets? An American Indian image, not unlike Andover High's logo. In the four years I attended the school, not once did I ever hear anyone complain or take offense at it.

The Golden Warrior symbol is something which honors American Indians, and is not degrading to them in any way. Andover has always paid homage to its Native American history, as evident in the many street names of Indian heritage. If the logo is altered, does this mean that we should change the names of Apache Avenue, Penacook Place, Cheyenne Circle, Wabanaki Way, Penobscot Way, Agawam Lane, and many others for fear that it might insult someone's nationality? Give me a break! That would be like me wanting to change the name of every "Pulaski Drive" in America.

Likewise, the fans of a well-known national football team have been dressing up in costume and cheering their favorite players with the famous "tomahawk chop" for as long as I can remember. How come no Native American has spoken up against these physical actions, yet an innocent illustration is under fire for supposedly representing something that isn't even there?

Look, when I attended Andover High, which was six years ago, no one even questioned the Golden Warrior symbol, simply because it is not offensive in any conceivable way. Even my best friend, whose mother was Native American, did not see anything wrong with it. For decades the symbol has existed without any problems. Now, in this ridiculous age of political correctness, troublemakers feel the need to pick apart every image or phrase they don't like. Dolores Dunning, and others supporting her, need to open their eyes and get off their high horses. In the meantime, let's concentrate on the real problems of this town, and the world for that matter, such as stopping development and preserving the wildlife.

Pamela Sosnowski
5 Blood Road

POLICE LOG

ARRESTS

Tuesday, Jan. 30 - At 8:18 a.m., Steven Maribito, 22, of Peabody, was arrested on Jenkins Road and charged on a Peabody traffic warrant.

At 7:31 p.m., Larry Hester, 46, of Lawrence, was arrested on Lowell Street and charged with operating after suspension of his license, and operating unregistered and uninsured.

Friday, Feb. 2 - At 2:11 a.m., Shawn J. Harris, 24, of Tewksbury, was arrested on River Road and charged on a warrant for operating unregistered and uninsured, and failure to keep right.

At 12:05 p.m., a 50-year-old Middleton man was placed in protective custody for alleged drunkenness in Ballardvale center.

At 9:41 p.m., Herbert E. Little, 40, of Kingston, N.H., was arrested on North Main Street and charged on a North Andover warrant.

Saturday, Feb. 3 - At 2:53 a.m., Shelley J. Flanagan, 37, of 39 Memorial Circle, was arrested after her car struck a fence on Chestnut Street. She was charged with operating under the influence (alcohol), and operating with revoked plates and uninsured.

INCIDENTS

Tuesday, Jan. 30 - At 7:54 a.m., police assisted the ambulance with a man who fell from a roof on School Street.

Friday, Feb. 2 - At 7:18 a.m., a Greenwood Road man reported being involved in an altercation with a motorist earlier in the morning while out jogging.

Sunday, Feb. 4 - At 4:14 p.m., a Rocky Hill Road man reported a neighbor's dog just ran into his house and messed on the floor. The man was upset and claimed this problem has been going on for two years.

Monday, Feb. 5 - At 5:13 p.m., a man reported striking and killing a small blond-haired dog near 15 Stevens St. The dog had no tags.

At 6:33 p.m., a Wabanaki Way resident reported pipes burst in her house and water was getting into the electrical system.

ACCIDENTS

Tuesday, Jan. 30 - At 7:44 a.m., a minor one-car accident was reported after a car spun into a snowbank

near 158 Salem St.

At 8 a.m., a minor accident was reported near 1 Hidden Field.

At 7:47 p.m., state police handled a three-car accident on Route 495 northbound near Chandler Road.

At 8:06 p.m., an accident was reported near 259 N. Main St.

Wednesday, Jan. 31 - At 8:07 a.m., a two-car accident was reported at Phillips Academy.

At 12:36 p.m., a minor two-car accident was reported at Chestnut and Bartlet streets.

At 2:49 p.m., an accident was reported in front of Main Street Mobil, 14 N. Main St.

Thursday, Feb. 1 - At 7:27 a.m., an accident was reported at Andover High School.

At 8:06 a.m., a school bus was reported in an accident with a car near 47 Spring Grove Road.

At 8:06 a.m., minor damage was reported after a school bus and car sideswiped each other near 47 Spring Grove Road. Children were on the bus but no injuries were reported. Both drivers said the road was too narrow to pass safely.

At 2:20 p.m., a school bus was involved in an accident with a car in front of West Middle School on Shawsheen Road. Students were on the bus but no injuries were reported. According to police, a female student in a car tried to pass the bus on the right while the bus was stopped waiting to make a right turn onto Shawsheen Road. When the bus pulled out the right rear quarter of the bus struck the front left quarter of the student's car. The student was issued a written warning for passing on the right.

At 4:30 p.m., an accident was reported in the Andover High School parking lot.

At 5:25 p.m., an accident was reported near 200 Lowell St.

Friday, Feb. 2 - At 7:43 a.m., a minor accident was reported on South Main Street.

At 9:02 a.m., an accident was reported in front of McDonald's restaurant on North Main Street.

At 2:49 p.m., a car struck a traffic light on Main Street.

Saturday, Feb. 3 - At 1:49 a.m., a car struck a pole on North Main Street.

At 9:22 a.m., a minor accident was reported in front of the Tagge Inn on

Tech school student injured

By Don Staruk

An 18-year-old Greater Lawrence Technical School student was injured at 8:25 Monday morning when a car ran over him in the automotive shop at the school. A second student suffered a seizure after witnessing the accident.

Carlos Salazar Galicia, of 107 Lexington St., Lawrence, was working on a truck with his back to two students who were working on a Chevrolet Nova nearby. The other two students apparently got the Nova running, and it began moving in reverse, running over Mr. Galicia, according to Fire Lt. Sandy Poulin.

The car ran over Mr. Galicia's back, leaving tire tracks on his shirt. Mr. Galicia was bleeding from the nose and injured his left shoulder, rib area and left arm. He was taken to Lawrence General Hospital where he was in good condition Tuesday. The 15-year-old student who suffered a seizure fell and hit his head, but he refused treatment. The 15-year-old was on medication for seizures.

River Road.

At 11:51 a.m., an accident was reported on Holt Road.

At 2:47 p.m., a car was reported in the shrubs in front of Lawrence Savings Bank on North Main Street. The car was gone when police arrived, but shrubs were damaged.

At 4:42 p.m., a hit-and-run accident was reported on Essex Street.

At 6:35 p.m., an accident was reported on South Main Street.

Sunday, Feb. 4 - At 9:51 a.m., a two-car accident was reported near 50 Clark Road.

Monday, Feb. 5 - At 7:37 a.m., an accident was reported near 76 Red Spring Road.

BREAKS

Wednesday, Jan. 31 - At 3:41 p.m., an attempted car break was reported on Dascomb Road.

Thursday, Feb. 1 - At 11:05 a.m., a car break was reported on Lupine Road.

Friday, Feb. 2 - At 1:28 p.m., two car breaks were reported on Beacon Street.

At 4:20 p.m., another car break was reported on Beacon Street.

Monday, Feb. 5 - At 10:01 a.m., an attempted car break was reported on Glen Meadow Road.

At 12:55 p.m., a house break was reported on Shawsheen Road. Entry was gained through a

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POLICE LOG

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smashed rear patio door.

THEFTS

Tuesday, Jan. 30 - At 11:43 a.m., a theft was reported from the Taje Inn on River Road.

At 11:55 a.m., the theft of a pocketbook was reported at Wingate Nursing Home on Andover Street.

At 2:53 p.m., an 8-foot Fisher plow was taken

overnight from Andover Building and Development Corp., 51 Argilla Road.

Wednesday, Jan. 31 - At 8:15 p.m., a theft was reported on Pearson Street.

Friday, Feb. 2 - At 6:26 p.m., the theft of a wallet was reported at Andover High School.

Sunday, Feb. 4 - At 2:01 p.m., a pocketbook theft was reported at the Rolling Green Ramada Hotel on Lowell Street. The pocketbook was recovered

but money was missing.

At 3:40 p.m., a shoplifter was nabbed at the Andovers Gift Shop, 4 Main St. An officer talked to the juvenile's parents.

VANDALISM

Monday, Feb. 5 - At 12:48 p.m., damage to a bus was reported at Greater Lawrence Technical School.

CAR THEFTS

Wednesday, Jan. 31 - At 3:41 a.m., a car reported stolen in Chelsea was recovered in the Shawheen Plaza parking lot.

Monday, Feb. 5 - At 4:30 p.m., a Jeep Cherokee was reported taken from the commuter lot on Dascumb Road.

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EVENTS CALENDAR

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Robert Lehman Art Center, featuring a retrospective exhibit on the life of painter Alica A. Waterston, a noted landscape artist and former art instructor at the school, through March 5, gallery located at Brooks School, 1160 Great Pond Road, North Andover; gallery hours Tuesday through Friday 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m., Saturday 8:30 a.m.-noon, Sunday 2:30-5 p.m.; Michael B. King, 686-6101.

Theatre

The Sound of Music, through Feb. 25, at the Playhouse Dinner Theatre, 194 Main St., Amesbury, shows Thursday through Saturday, dinner at 7 p.m., show at 8:30 p.m., Sunday, dinner at 5 p.m., show at 6:30 p.m.; call the Playhouse at (508) 388-9444.

Speed-The-Plow, Feb. 19-March 9, at the Merrimack Repertory Theatre, 50 East Merrimack St., Liberty Hall at the Lowell Memorial Library, Wednesday through Saturdays, 8

p.m., Sundays 2 p.m., call box office at (508) 454-3926 for other times and ticket information.

On the Verge... Or the Geography of Yearning, Feb. 9-March 2, featuring Andover residents Sharon Mason and Keith Sherman, at Quannapowitt Playhouse, 55 Hopkins St., Reading, Call (617) 942-2212 for information and tickets.

Meetings & Other Activities

The Activities Network, social sports and recreation club for single adults, midweek meetings in various locations; (508) 352-6987.

AIDS Action of Andover Mothers Group, for mothers and other family members of people who are HIV-positive or who have AIDS, meets twice a month; call AIDS Action of Andover for information, 470-2626.

Amnesty International, Merrimack Valley Chapter; meets every second Monday of the month, at McQuade

Library, Merrimack College, 7:30 p.m.; Leslie 475-6960.

Coalition for the Preservation of Fatherhood, Merrimack Valley chapter, at Senior Citizens Center, 10 Welcome St., Haverhill, 7 p.m., group will meet second and fourth Tuesdays of each month; Alan Finger (508) 372-2648.

Country-western dancing, presented by the Moose Lodge of North Andover, Fridays, North Street, North Reading, donations \$5; 7:30-8:30 p.m., one couples and one line-dance lesson, and then continual dancing until midnight; for information, call Ken at 772-2195 or the North Reading Moose Lodge at 664-2721.

Greater Lawrence Camera Club, Wednesdays, Trinitarian Congregational Church, 72 Elm St., North Andover, 7:30 p.m.; Faith Morgida 687-2377, Richard Morton 664-3140.

Folk dance, presented by the Skirts and Flirts Square Dance Club, weekly Thursday

classes, at Shawsheen Elementary School, Shawsheen Avenue, Wilmington, 7:30 p.m.; 658-8583 or 658-3480.

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Show features photographs of runaways

By Naomi Voorhees

I called my parents a year ago and they said good luck and have a nice life and all, just don't come back."

This message, written in childlike scrawl, is just one of the many featured in Jim Goldberg's exhibit,

Raised By Wolves: Documents and Photographs of Runaways, now on display at the Addison Gallery of American Art.

The Phillips Academy gallery sponsored a private reception Tuesday, Jan. 30, for members of the community affiliated with founda-

tions concerned with this growing social problem. Members of the New England Consortium for Families and Youth (NECFY) — an organization dedicated to increasing effectiveness of community-based programs, working with youth and families in high-risk situations — presented opening remarks in an attempt to awaken the community to the vastness of the problem and to promote funding for existing programs. The guests then toured the exhibit at their leisure and then re-assembled for a question-and-answer period with the artist.

"There's art that moves us and art that makes us think. This does both," Jim Goldberg said about his exhibit. His photographs evoke an emotional as well as an aesthetic response, forcing the viewer to confront the reality faced by the runaways: homelessness, prostitution and drug addiction.

The project began in 1985, when Mr. Gold-



Photos by Lisa Adelsberger

Addison Gallery guests at the reception for the *Raised by Wolves* exhibit view a video produced by Jim Goldberg, which is on display at the entrance to the exhibit. The show runs through March 24. [See listing in *Ongoing Events: Art Exhibitions*].

berg was awarded a Guggenheim Scholarship. He decided to go to San Francisco. He met a runaway named Marcos, who was trying to raise money for a youth center. As he looked at the boy the idea dawned on him, and he spent the next 10 years interviewing and photographing runaways in San Francisco and Hollywood.

The exhibition, which consists of 165 photographs, video installations and found objects, centers around two runaways, Tweedy Dave and Echo. It is the story of their relationship with other runaways, their memories of home and their dangerous lifestyle.

"I approached the work gently, slowly and with trepidation. They were unsure of me and me of them. The trust was that they had had

my phone number and address and they could come to my house for food, clothes and a shower," said Mr. Goldberg. He defines adolescence as a time of rebellion, a time when children question authority and mistrust adults.

"They get to be so wild in a way. The problem is if you're on the street for a long time... It's hard to follow the rules," said Mr. Goldberg, in response to a question asking why children choose the street when agencies and programs are available.

When asked what is the solu-

tion to this dilemma, the artist passionately replied, "We already know what the answers are. We don't put enough money and time into the problem. We're not putting our time and energy into it."

Peter Benham, chairman for the NECFY, said the solution to this problem is making children the country's No. 1 priority. "When do we stand up and say our children are important? The thing that is frightening in America is, where do our children stand as a priority?"



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Mother of Twins Club, meets monthly in Saugus, call for location and dates, Allene Crusco (617) 245-3556, or Katie Monahan 664-4545.

Writers' group, Northern Essex Community College library, Elliot Room, every Thursday, 7 p.m.; free; (603) 898-6332.

Parents Anonymous, meets weekly in Haverhill, Lowell, and Lawrence; no fees or

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SPORTS

AHS still in the MVC hunt after their dramatic 71-69 OT win at Haverhill

By Rick Harrison

Coach Dave Fazio stepped back and analyzed last Friday night's dramatic 71-69 overtime victory against Haverhill.

"It's as good a win as we've had at Andover in the last seven years," he stated. "Because of its importance, because of how talented Haverhill is, and because we went into their building and beat them."

It was a triumph the Golden Warriors had to have to remain in

the thick of the Merrimack Valley Conference Large School Division fight.

It lifted Andover to 6-3 in the league, two games behind first place Central Catholic and one in back of Methuen.

Overall the locals were 7-8 heading into this week.

"The most exciting thing is the way this team has progressed," said Fazio. "We thought we'd be playing our best basketball by the middle of the season. We kept telling the kids that and things

have worked out that way.

"We were 1-6 after our first seven games (0-2 league). Now we're 7-6 as far as the (MIAA) tournament committee is concerned (losses to Brockton and New Bedford do not count), and we're still in the MVC hunt."

Although Fazio has more than 100 wins in less than seven seasons at AHS, this year will probably be considered his finest coaching performance because the Warriors started virtually from scratch after graduating seven seniors.

"We finally feel we have some continuity to the lineup," explained coach Fazio.

"The coaching staff has used a zillion combinations this season, but now we have a substitution rotation that's working and we feel comfortable about."

Earlier this week, after *Townsmen* presstime, Andover faced another must-win situation when it hosted Central Catholic.

Coach Fazio's alma mater entered the game

8-1 in league play, 12-3 overall and riding an eight-game win streak that included an earlier 58-49 triumph over Andover.

The outcome of that game was to determine if AHS would remain in contention to earn an unprecedented fourth straight Large School title, or concede the crown and buckle down for a run at a tournament berth.

"It's a big, big game," said coach Fazio. "It's the difference between staying in the hunt or settling for the (Eastern Mass. Division 1 North Sectional) tournament."

The most amazing thing is that those options were still available to the Golden Warriors at this stage.

In addition to the emotional victory over Haverhill, other recent games have resulted in a 68-58 victory over Tewksbury, a 58-48 decision over Dracut, and losses to non-league New Bedford (76-35) and Methuen (62-50).

Schedule

Golden Warriors' rematches with Lowell (tomorrow night, home) and at Methuen (Feb. 16), along with a game against surprising Chelmsford (Feb. 13), during the next two weeks will determine the fate of the 1995-'96 Andover hoopsters.

AHS also hosts New Bedford in a non-leaguer next Wednesday night, and participates in the Quincy Tournament Feb. 20 and 22.

Scoring leaders

Corry McLaughlin led the way after 15 games with 209 points, Paul McNeice had 163 and Pat Sharkey 133.

Andover 71

Haverhill 69 (OT)

Clutch free throw shooting by captain Pat Sharkey, who finished with a team-high 22 points, was the ultimate difference in this MVC Large School classic.

"It's still a bit of a blur," admitted coach Fazio after the game.

"We came out of the blocks like wildfire and took a 16-3 lead. We had the tempo in our favor and everything was working. But Haverhill is such a talented team, and they had everyone back in the

ANDOVER SCORING

(15 games)

	FG	FT	Pts
Corry McLaughlin	79	51	209
Paul McNeice	61	41	163
Pat Sharkey	35	51	133
Brendan Long	22	8	56
Ken Oppenheim	18	11	51
Mark O'Sullivan	20	11	50
Jeff Danis	14	6	34
Ryan Games	9	4	22
Jeff Thompson	8	1	22
Dave Hajjar	9	3	21
Pat Annese	4	4	12
Chris Mann	4	2	10
Chris Drizen	1	0	3

3-pointers:

Sharkey 12, Thompson 5, Long 4, Oppenheim 4, Drizen 1.

lineup for this game. Everyone plays at full strength against the Golden Warriors.

"They came back with a barrage of driving lay-ups and three-point bombs, but we still had them by six (35-29) at the half," said coach Fazio. "It was our best half of basketball this season. Thirty-five points is a lot for us."

"The second half was back and forth the whole way. We were never ahead by more than six points, and eventually Haverhill came back to take a one-point lead in the final minute."

But 6'8" junior center Corry McLaughlin converted a traditional three-point play (basket, free throw) to put the Golden Warriors back in front by two (61-59).

"Haverhill came right back and scored to tie it. We held the ball briefly and then missed an ill-advised shot," explained coach Fazio.

But Haverhill also missed in the closing seconds of regulation. Andover corralled the rebound and it went to overtime (tied 61-61).

This was AHS' second overtime game of the season, the first ending in a 59-57 loss to Lawrence in the Christmas Festival.

The three-minute overtime saw several lead changes before the score was evened again at 66-66.

"We finally stopped them defensively and Brendan Long put us ahead (68-66) with a driving lay-up," said coach Fazio. "Haverhill then missed a shot, we went into a stall and they fouled Pat Sharkey."

Sharkey hit one free throw to make it 69-66, and following another Hillies' miss and foul Sharkey converted another charity for a 70-66 advantage with 17 seconds to play in overtime.

Haverhill's Sandro Paulino then buried a huge three-pointer with 7.2 seconds left to cut the AHS lead back to one point, 70-69.

"The kid took a 37-foot shot and hit nothing but the bottom of the net," said Fazio. "I called a timeout, but instead of putting more pressure on our kids I just started yelling about what a great game it

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A wild ride for Lady Warriors

By Rick Harrison

It was a rollercoaster week for the Andover High women's varsity basketball team. The Lady Warriors soared to the heights with a 67-28 victory over Tewksbury, plummeted to the depths with a 74-37 loss to powerful defending state Division 1 champion Haverhill, and took off again with a 68-33 romp against Dracut.

The 39-point victory margin against Tewksbury was the third largest of the season, while the 37-point loss to the Hillies was by far the most lopsided this winter.

Those results left Coach Jim Tildsley's squad at 13-3 overall, 10-3 in the Merrimack Valley Conference, and the tournament-bound locals are teetering on the edge of elimination from league title consideration.

The AHS women were scheduled to play at Lowell last night, and they wrap up the regular 1995-'96 campaign next week with home games against Chelmsford (Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.) and Methuen (Friday, 7:30).

Scoring leaders

Charlotte Muller led the Andover scoring parade after 16 games with 327 points (20.5 average), including 60 three-pointers, while twin sister Sarah Muller had 204, Sue Tully 141, Kristen Wysocki 104, Laura Orlando 95 and Jen Aylward 69.

Andover 67

Tewksbury 28

This came very close to an instant replay of the first game between the teams, which the Lady Warriors won 68-28.

"We had some excellent performances from kids coming off the bench," said coach Tildsley, "and the starters kept their intensity despite the difference in the score."

Ten players figured in the offense, with double-figure efforts from game-high markswoman Charlotte Muller (16 points) and junior 6'1" center Sue Tully (10 points).

Charlotte also contributed seven assists and six steals before retiring for the night, while Tully ripped down 11 rebounds as chairwoman of the boards.

Tossing through eight points each were captain Jen Aylward, sophomore forward Julie Litzenberger and freshman guard Sarah Muller. Litzenberger also pulled down eight rebounds.

Junior guard/forward Stephanie Banos netted six points and distributed four assists, junior center Kristen Wysocki had five points, and solo field goals were notched by sophomore forward Laura Orlando, junior guard Ann Marie Paone and sophomore guard Courtney Barron.

Andover raced to a commanding 40-19 halftime lead and outscored Tewksbury 27-9 in the final 16 minutes.

Haverhill 74

Andover 37

Since defeating Andover 57-46 midway through January, the Hillies' juggernaut had been temporarily derailed in a 67-66 loss to Methuen.

But Haverhill (14-1 record) has come back from that defeat with a renewed vengeance, and last Friday night the Hillies marched into the Dunn Gym and took no prisoners.

"Their coach (Kevin Woelfel) said it was the best game they've played all season," said Tildsley. "They're a great team and when they're focused, as they were in this game, they're unbelievable."

"I felt we had a legitimate shot going into the game, but now I have to go back to what I said pre-season. Haverhill is in a class by itself."

"They smothered us defensively. They forced us into a bunch of turnovers, they chased down every loose ball, they switched off and doubled a lot on the Mullers, and they out-rebounded us. You name it and they did it," said coach Tildsley.

"The loss to Methuen woke them up. They just kept coming and coming at us. They were like a machine."

Andover actually took a quick 1-0 lead and held it for the first three minutes of the game, as both teams were guilty of several early turnovers.

Haverhill eventually broke the ice, however, moving out to a 34-20 advantage by the half and outscoring the Lady Warriors 40-17 after the break.

"We had a couple of good offensive spurts in the first half, cutting the deficit to eight, but we couldn't stop them," said Tildsley.

This marked only the third time AHS had been held below 57 points this season, and the 37 were nine fewer than the previous low of 46 in the first Haverhill game.

The 74 points by the Hillies were the most allowed this season, and marked only the third time the locals had yielded 59 or more points.

Kristen Wysocki was the only Lady Warrior in double figures, with 10 points, and only five players managed to hit the scoring column.

Sarah Muller tossed in nine points, including Andover's lone trey, while Charlotte Muller was held below twin digits and without a three-pointer for the first time this season while netting seven.

Sue Tully also had seven points and Laura Orlando four.

The balanced Hillies were sparked by Samantha Good with 18 points, Kelly Van Huisen 12 and Melissa Rowe 10.

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A triumph Golden Warriors had to have

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was, what a great shot Paulino had just made, and what a terrific win this would be for us."

Andover got the ball back in Sharkey's hands and he dribbled around briefly before being fouled again.

"I thought we had knocked a few seconds off the clock but when I looked there were still 6.2 seconds left. I went ballistic because I couldn't believe only one second had gone by."

Once again Sharkey netted one of two free throws, making it 71-69.

Senior guard Ken Oppenheim followed with a huge play, stealing the in-bounds pass and cradling the ball as time ran out.

Sharkey led three players into double digits with 22 points, McLaughlin added 18 and captain Paul McNeice scored 11.

Sophomore guard Long finished with nine points, junior forward Mark O'Sullivan had eight, junior guard Ryan Games two points and Oppenheim one free throw.

Oppenheim added seven assists, six deflections and the game-ending steal.

McLaughlin had 11 rebounds (four offensive) and five deflections, Long went 3-for-3 from the floor, 3-for-4 from the line and added three assists.

O'Sullivan contributed five deflections, two steals and two assists, and sophomore forward Jeff Danis four (defensive) rebounds.

"O'Sullivan has really come into his own. He was all over the floor. He set the tone for us, and had his best game of the season along with Sharkey," lauded coach Fazio.

Andover 68 Tewksbury 58

Although the final margin was only 10 points, the Golden Warriors controlled this game from beginning to end.

Andover enjoyed a healthy 40-21 advantage at the half and put it in cruise control against the host team in the second half.

Corry McLaughlin and Pat Sharkey led 10 AHS players into the scoring column, McLaughlin with 20 points and Sharkey with 16 including a pair of treys.

Paul McNeice contributed eight points, Mark O'Sullivan seven, Jeff Danis five, Brendan Long and Ken Oppenheim four each.

Completing the attack were senior guard Jeff Thompson, with one basket, junior guard Pat Annese and junior forward Dave Hajjar one free throw each.

Oppenheim also dished out six assists, while McLaughlin tallied 10 rebounds and hit 8-of-14 floor shots.

O'Sullivan contributed five rebounds, three assists and four deflections, Sharkey dished off four assists, and junior forward Joe Sciolla played well off the bench.

"Kenny Oppenheim has really started to play well. He's begin-

ning to deliver the goods and it's made a big difference," said coach Fazio.

Andover 58 Dracut 48

The Golden Warriors were never really in danger against the weak Middies, but Andover allowed Dracut to hang around the entire game.

"This year's team typically plays to the level of the opponent," said coach Fazio. "The good teams can't shake us and we have trouble shaking the bad teams."

"It was disappointing in some respects. I think our guys know they're better than we played, but every win is crucial for us."

"We led the game by 10 most of the way," continued Fazio, who coached the Middies for two years before taking over for Tom Ryser at Andover. "Dracut cut it to five late in the game, and we turned it on when we had to."

"Pat Annese did a terrific job, sparking us with his play in the second half, and Brendan Long had season-high numbers in points (nine) and assists (four)."

"We survived a poor shooting night. We were only 16-for-47 from the floor (35 percent) inside the three-point arc, and 3-for-8 outside the arc (.375)."

"But we converted 17 free throws and that's a good sign. When we go to the line that many times it means we're getting the ball into the paint," explained coach Fazio.

Pat Sharkey scored 13 points, pulled down seven rebounds and passed out five assists to lead the Golden Warriors statistically.

Corry McLaughlin added 11 points and six boards, Long had nine points and four assists, Mark O'Sullivan eight points and Paul McNeice seven points and five rebounds.

Annese scored five points, Ken Oppenheim three and Jeff Danis two.

"We played 12 kids in the first half," noted coach Fazio, whose winners were ahead 34-24 at the break. Both teams scored 24 points in the second half.

Brian Myers was game-high for Dracut with 20 points.

Both teams finished with 19 field goals, but AHS outscored the Middies 17-8 from the free throw line.

Methuen 62 Andover 50

With his team riding a four-game win streak and back in the thick of the MVC Large School Division title chase, coach Fazio was looking forward to this showdown.

Unfortunately the Golden Warriors couldn't match Methuen's eye-popping 25-for-29 at the free throw line and dropped a 12-point decision to the Rangers.

Andover never really got untracked in this one, falling behind 35-24 at the half before trading baskets with the visiting Rangers (12-2 overall) in the final

16 minutes.

The loss overshadowed a superb individual performance by Corry McLaughlin, who poured through a game-high 24 points and pulled down nine rebounds.

Once again, as it has all season, the free throw line played a major part in the outcome.

Both teams finished with 18 field goals, but sharpshooting Methuen outscored Andover 25-14 at the charity stripe with Brian Bettano burying 10-of-11 and Rich Barden 9-of-10 to lead the way.

Paul McNeice supported McLaughlin with 10 points, Pat Sharkey scored seven, Mark O'Sullivan four, Pat Annese and Jeff Danis two each, and Ryan Games converted a free throw.

New Bedford 76 Andover 35

The Golden Warriors were out-quicked by the perennial South Shore power, as the host Whalers treated their guest rudely by racing to a 35-17 halftime lead.

Things only became worse in the second half as New Bedford added 41 points and limited Andover to 18.

No one reached double figures for AHS as Paul McNeice netted nine points, Brendan Long seven, Chris Mann six, Mark O'Sullivan five and Dave Hajjar four.

Corry McLaughlin tossed in one field goal and Pat Sharkey converted a pair of free throws.

The 76 points were the most allowed by Andover, which has yielded more than 60 in only five games, while the 35 points were the least scored this season (previous low 40 versus Lawrence).

(Earlier Game)

Andover 57 Haverhill 52

"Corry McLaughlin had four monster dunks that were unbelievable," said coach Fazio. "One was on a back-door play and another on a follow-up. That got everyone excited and put us in a good frame of mind."

"We didn't play great but once again our defense was excellent. Haverhill is averaging about 80 points a game and we held them to 52. That's the way Andover High basketball has gone during my seven years, and probably forever. We get stronger and stronger defensively as the season goes along."

Haverhill moved out to a 25-21 halftime advantage, but Andover chipped away after the break and eventually took the lead.

"We were up by two points with about two minutes left and (sophomore guard) Brendan Long came up with a big hoop," said coach Fazio. "He went hard to the basket and scored on a lay-up to put us ahead by four."

"Pat Sharkey, Mark O'Sullivan and Kenny Oppenheim hit some big free throws down the stretch to seal it for us."

McLaughlin was immense with 22 points, 11 rebounds, two

blocked shots and six deflections.

"He's really starting to feel his oats," said coach Fazio. "Corry is getting bigger, stronger and better."

Paul McNeice also reached double digits with 12 points, including 6-for-7 at the charity stripe, and he corralled five rebounds.

"The floor shots just didn't fall for Paul in this game," said coach Fazio.

Oppenheim contributed nine points, five assists and five deflections.

Jeff Danis tossed in four points and pulled down 11 rebounds (seven defensive), while Pat Sharkey nailed

four free throws, Dave Hajjar and O'Sullivan converted two foul shots each, and Long had his key late-game bucket.

Sandro Paulino was game high for the Hillies, accounting for more than half their points with 27.

Both teams finished with 16 field goals, but the free throw line once again spelled the difference as AHS held a 24-18 scoring edge.

Andover JVs

The AHS junior varsity was 8-4 after 12 games with Rob Oppenheim, Dave Codinsky and Brian Anderson among the top performers.

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ACBL showdown matches up co-leaders

By Rick Harrison

Mike Giles, Matt Kobelski and Tommy McLaughlin combined for 42 points as defending Andover Church Basketball League Senior Boys Division champion St. Robert's B overpowered St. Robert's A, 50-37, in their recent first-place showdown between undefeated co-leaders.

That win put SRB (6-0) in the driver's seat, while SRA (5-1) fell into a second-place tie with St. Augustine A (5-1).

St. Robert's A and St. Robert's B had made final preparations for their crucial clash by rolling to easy victories at the West Middle School gym, SRA defeating Temple Emanuel B, 67-6, and SRB topping St. Augustine C, 56-17.

St. Augustine A remained in strong title contention with a 30-25 triumph over Ballardvale United and a 32-21 conquest of St. Augustine C.

In other recent games, Temple Emanuel A won a 52-45 shootout against St. Augustine D, St. Augustine B trimmed Temple B, 48-33, and St. Augustine D stopped Ballardvale, 47-40, in overtime.

St. Augustine D also topped St. Augustine B, 54-26, St. Robert's B continued to roll with a 53-15 triumph over Temple Emanuel B, St. Robert's A slipped past upset-minded Ballardvale United, 34-32, and St. Augustine C handled Temple Emanuel A, 27-19.

Scoring leaders

Pat Hogarty has the individual scoring lead with 112 points, Tommy McLaughlin has 91, Paul Wysocki 76, Mike Giles 74, Danny Hughes 72, Andy Gilmore 71, Rich Sheldon and Matt Kobelski 70 each.

St. Robert's B 50 St. Robert's A 37

Unbeaten SRB had too much quickness for its intra-church rival, racing to a commanding 40-18 lead after three quarters before putting it in cruise control.

Mike Giles was on fire in the first half, consistently draining 15- to 18-foot baseline jumpers, while Tommy McLaughlin was a tiger on the boards, battling SRA's Paul Wysocki and Rich Sheldon.

Matt Kobelski broke

from the pack for several transition layups, and the final figures showed Giles with 18 points, McLaughlin 12 and Kobelski 12.

Contributing single buckets were Scott Mackin, Scott Segal, Matt Spada and Sean Thomann, while Matt Sheehan, Bo Boudreau and John Iorio were other standouts for the Big Red Machine.

Danny Hughes tossed in 17 points and Paul Wysocki 12 for St. Robert's A.

Rich Sheldon contributed 6 and Andy Timko converted a pair of free throws.

St. Augustine A 32 St. Augustine C 21

SAA inched ahead 9-8 after one quarter and

slowly widened the gap in each period.

Pat Garrity worked well inside and finished

ACBL STANDINGS Senior Boys Division

	W	L	PF	PA
St. Robert's B	6	0	315	178
St. Augustine A	5	1	209	181
St. Robert's A	5	1	276	166
St. Augustine D	4	3	299	271
St. Augustine C	3	4	185	206
Temple Emanuel A	2	4	234	251
Ballardvale United	2	4	195	198
St. Augustine B	1	5	168	255
Temple Emanuel B	0	6	119	294

Scoring Leaders

	FG	FT	Pts
Pat Hogarty, SAD	53	6	112
Tommy McLaughlin, SRB	39	13	91
Paul Wysocki, SRA	33	10	76
Mike Giles, SRB	34	6	74
Danny Hughes, SRA	29	14	72
Andy Gilmore, BU	32	7	71
Matt Kobelski, SRB	32	6	70
Rich Sheldon, SRA	34	2	70
Woo-Je Jang, SAC	25	13	63
Adam Silevitch, TEA	25	10	60

with a game-high 13 points for the winners, while Charles and Pat Murnane added 7 points each.

Dave Powers tossed in 5 points and other standouts included Sam Dadd, Jimmy Hale and Ryan Nugent.

Jim Gustin was a

force on the boards for St. Augustine C, and led his club with 10 points, while Woo-Je Jang added 6, Jeff Bowe 4 and Geordie Miliotis one free throw.

St. Augustine B 48
Temple Eman. B 33
Center Leo DeMarco

had a field day for the winners, pouring through a single-game season-high 30 points to power SAB to its first victory.

Bobby Heitz and Justin Rego contributed 5 points each, Mike Repucci 4, Rick Umlah 2.

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ACBL boys results

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and single free throws were netted by Nate Stoetzel and Jeff Volinski.

Derek Dascoli, Jon Almon and Mike Ring also played well.

Andrew Jacobs sparked Temple B with 10 points, Andy Bellistri added 8, Nishant Mehta 7, Aaron Wiernik 4 and Mike Gibson 4.

Brendan Ahern, Rich Crowley and Nate MacKenzie were other Temple standouts.

St. Augustine D 47

Ballardvale United 40 (OT)

Ballardvale overcame a 30-23 fourth-quarter deficit to tie the game 40-40 at the end of regulation, only to have St. Augustine D escape on a 7-0 overtime run to pull out the win.

Mike Kaczynski sparked the winners to a 20-10

halftime lead as he buried four 20-foot shots.

With Mark Russo, Andy Gilmore and Brad Stubenhaus combining for all 17 fourth-quarter points, BU rode a 17-4 burst to a 40-34 lead with just one minute left in regulation.

Pat Hogarty cut it to 40-36 for St. Augustine D, and with 20 seconds left both Hogarty and Paul Bellacqua stole in-bounds passes and quickly scored to force overtime.

Hogarty, who missed a chance to win it with one second left in regulation, redeemed himself by netting all seven OT points as Ballardvale ran out of gas.

Hogarty led all marksmen with 17 points, Bellacqua added 12, Kaczynski 10, Kevin Shepard 6 and Shawn Murphy 2.

Andy Gilmore countered with 14 points for BU, Mark Russo had 10, Brad Stubenhaus 8 and solo baskets were scored by Nick Fitzpatrick, Jonathan Kuipers, Adam Stone and Brian Trembley.

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A wild ride for Lady Warriors

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"Naturally our girls were disappointed," said coach Tildsley. "We thought we had a chance. But we have to rebound from the loss and come out strong the rest of the way."

Andover 68

Dracut 33

Charlotte Muller hit 8-of-12 three-pointers, a sizzling .667 percent, and came close to outscoring the Middies all by herself with 27 points.

Sue Tully was also in double figures with 13 points, while Sarah Muller contributed 12 points, 11 assists and seven steals.

Laura Orlando finished the rout with seven points, five steals and four assists, Jen Aylward tossed in six points and pulled down a team-high 11 rebounds, and Kristen

Wysocki pocketed three points.

The Lady Warriors led host Dracut 32-20 at the half before outscoring the Middies 36-13 in the final 16 minutes.

"Laura Orlando also played excellent defense and probably had her top all-around effort of the season," said coach Tildsley. "And this was Jen Aylward's best game on the boards."

Andover JVs

The AHS junior varsity (13-1) saw its 12-game win streak snapped with a four-point loss to Haverhill.

Playing well all season for coach Susan Cosgrove's club have been freshmen Janice Coppolino and Lacey Eggert, sophomore Kristen Foley, Julie Viola, Jenna Hartwell and Kelly Walsh.

ANDOVER SCORING

(16 games)

	FG	FT	Pts
Charlotte Muller	118	31	327
Sarah Muller	77	16	204
Sue Tully	60	21	141
Kristen Wysocki	46	12	104
Laura Orlando	40	15	95
Jen Aylward	31	7	69
Vike Pierce	8	2	18
Stephanie Banos	7	1	15
Julie Litzenberger	6	2	14
Courtney Barron	5	2	12
Allison Daher	2	2	6
Ann Marie Paone	1	0	2

3-pointers:

C. Muller 60, S. Muller 34

Andover Church Basketball League boys results

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St. Robert's A 67 Temple Eman. B 6

SRA had only five players available for the game but all were frontliners.

Paul Wysocki and Rich Sheldon, in addition to dominating the boards, pumped through 23 points each for the winners.

Danny Hughes also hit double digits with 11 points, Mark Grigsby had 6 and Andy Timko 4.

Andy Bellistri netted 3 points for Temple B, Nishant Mehta added 2 and Andrew Jacobs converted a free throw.

St. Robert's B 56 St. Augustine C 17

With several key performers not available, St. Augustine C was no match for SRB.

Tommy McLaughlin poured through 20 points for defending division champ St. Robert's B, Matt Kobelski contributed 18, Mike Giles 6, Bo Boudreau 4, Scott Mackin 4 and Sean Thomann 4.

Matt Sheehan and Matt Spada also played well for the winners.

Jim Gustin did his best on the boards for SAC and also scored 9 points, while Brian Crowley buried a pair of 20-foot shots in the second half.

Josh DeStefano and Neil Vallabh completed the offense with one basket each.

Temple Eman. A 52 St. Augustine D 45

Temple A was on fire in the first half, hitting a high percentage of its outside shots while rolling to a 30-12 lead.

The long-range missiles stopped falling in the second half, however, and inside force Pat Hogarty scored 11 of his team's 22 points in the third quarter as St.

Augustine D closed the deficit to 41-34 with a 22-11 run.

Jon Kaplan fed Adam Silevitch inside for Temple A during the fourth period, and Silevitch responded with seven points to preserve the victory.

Silevitch led nine Temple players into the scoring column with 15 points, Ryan Slavin netted 9, Dan Coleman 7, Kaplan 6, Justin Games and Sam Morrison 4 each, Josh Topp 3, Alan Ginsberg 2 and Josh

Garick 2.

Hogarty was game-high for St. Augustine D with 27 points, Kevin Shepard added 10 and Mike Kaczynski 8.

St. Augustine A 30 Ballardvale United 25

Both teams had a number of players out, but SAA grabbed a 19-11 halftime lead and managed to hold on for the win.

Forward Ryan Nugent had numerous successful inside drives

en route to a game-high 17 points for St. Augustine A.

Charles Murnane tossed in 9 points, Sam Dadd 4, and also playing well were Mike Rikeman and Rich Roda.

Brian Trembley had his best game of the season for Ballardvale, scoring 12 points, while Jason O'Connell added 8, Mark Russo 3 and Eric Bakkensen 2.

Spencer Buchholz, Jonathan Kuipers and Adam Stone were other standouts.

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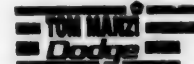
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The staff at Design Lighting will help create the appropriate atmosphere in your home or business with their wide selection of high quality lighting and electrical products. Lynda and Donna have recently returned from the winter market buying trip with a large selection of new, unique products. These products include hand painted desks, tables, contemporary pendants and elegant crystal chandeliers. Design Lighting has expanded its lampshade department. It is now double its original size.

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Design Lighting is located in the North Andover Mall on Route 114 in North Andover. Store hours are Monday, Friday and Saturday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Tuesday through Thursday 9 a.m. to 8:30 p.m. The electrical counter is open Monday through Friday 7:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturday 8 a.m. to noon. Telephone: (508) 794-1650.

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ANA Synchers place 1st at recent meet

The ANA YMCA synchronized swim team were leaders in most categories at the New England Synchronized Swimming Junior-Senior championships held last month in Chicopee. ANA swimmers who competed in this meet qualified by their routine scores to enter the next level of competition, East Zone Indoor Junior championships, which will be held this month in Edison, N.J.

In the Junior championships solo competition, Erica Otten of North Andover placed first and Nina Conn of Andover placed second. In the duet competition, Julia Conn and Katya Yerozolimsky, both of Andover, placed first; Nina Conn and Jessica Greene of Andover placed second; and Cara Chiaraluce and Julie Tobin, both of Andover, placed fourth. In the trios, Mary Ardini of Andover, Cara Chiaraluce, and Julie Tobin placed fourth. The ANA Synchers placed first in the team competition. Team members are Cara Chiaraluce, Nina Conn, Julia Conn, Sheila Kyte, Danielle Lightburn, Erica Otten, Julie Tobin, and Katya Yerozolimsky.

In the senior championship solo competition, Julia Conn placed first and Erica Otten second. In the duet competition Sheila Kyte and Danielle Lightburn placed third, and Julia Conn and Katya Yerozolimsky placed fifth. In trios, Sheila Kyte, Danielle Lightburn, and Katya Yerozolimsky placed second.

During figures awards, the meet manager announced that the ANA Synchers had won an unprecedented six out of the eight available awards in the Junior competition. Finishing the first five places were Danielle Lightburn, Julia Conn, Sheila Kyte, Erica Otten, and Nina Conn. Katya Yerozolimsky finished seventh. In the more difficult Senior figures, the ANA Synchers won four of the eight finishes: Danielle Lightburn placed third; Erica



Swimmers displaying their trophy, medals and ribbons are from left: (front row) Julia Conn, Jessica Greene; (second row) Danielle Lightburn, Sheila Kyte; (back row) Cara Chiaraluce, Mary Ardini, Katya Yerozolimsky, Erica Otten, Nina Conn and Julie Tobin.

ca Otten, fifth; Sheila Kyte, sixth; and Julia Conn, eighth. The meet manager made a statement during the figures awards that "it was unprecedented for one team to take the top five places, and a total of seven out of the eight available awards.

By accumulating the most points in the Senior championships the senior swimmers - Julia Conn, Sheila Kyte, Danielle Lightburn, Erica Otten, and Katya Yerozolimsky - won the prestigious trophy, which they will keep for the entire year. Their trophy will be on display at the ANA YMCA.

BUSINESS PROFILES



From the left, front row, Manager Tony Petraitis and Owner Jayne Madden, back row, Michelle, Lori and Kerri (missing from the picture: Paula Rapoza)

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Jayne states, "Anyone leaving their dog or cat in our care to be groomed

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The staff at Dawg City is available to answer any questions concerning your pet. Gift certificates are available. They are located at 38 Pearson Street, Andover. Parking is available adjacent to the store. Hours are Monday through Thursday from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m., Friday and Saturday from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Telephone: (508) 474-0655.

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BUSINESS PROFILES

From the left, Mike Francis, Debbie and Gene Marshall

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A tank stocked with live lobsters enables customers to choose their own. Hometown Seafoods will pack and ship lobsters through-

out the country. These make special gifts to bring or send to those in land locked states. They also cook lobsters for the customers' convenience.

A case displays various ready made seafoods and accompaniments. Among the foods available are squid salad, crabmeat stuffed mushrooms, coleslaw, pasta salad, lobster, crab meat stuffed filet of sole, stuffed potatoes, baked stuffed shrimp, crab and tuna rolls, and three varieties of chowder. Ask about party platters made to your specifications. An extensive line of condiments is available, as well as dips, gourmet pastas and Belmont ice cream.

Fried seafood, French fries and onion rings are available for takeout in a variety of combinations (plates, boats, rolls, boxes and sandwiches). Favorites among the many selec-

tions are clams, scallops, shrimp, haddock, crabmeat and lobster.

Frozen entrees are also carried, including Scrod Delizioso, haddock with herb dressing, frog legs, fish munchies, Creamed Fin Haddock and various dips.

Owners Gene and Debbie Marshall and brother-in-law Mike Francis are available for advice. They strive to accommodate special orders from your own personal "wish list" whenever possible.

Hometown Seafoods is located at 15 Barnard Street, Andover. They are open Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Saturday from 9:30 a.m. to 6 p.m., and Thursday and Friday until 7:30 p.m. Fried foods are available from 11 a.m. until closing.

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DOWN THE YEARS

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The next regular meeting of the Pilgrim Fathers occurs on next Thursday evening. Attention is called to the advertisement in another column.

B.C. Auten, Harvard '91, made an address at Phillips Academy Saturday evening on "Prohibition" and urged the forming of a club.

The petition for a waiting room and transfer is again at the Andover Bookstore and more signatures to it are desired.

William Caldwell, who is over 80 years of age, is quite seriously ill at his home on Washington Ave.

Prof. Harris preached in New Haven Sunday and lectured before the Men's Club in Dr. Munger's Church on "Social Regeneration."

50 years ago...

Players Will Profit

It will, of course, be different with the new All-American Conference league shopping in the market.

The arrival of the new league will be tough on the bank accounts of club owners in both circuits, but it will be a big financial harvest to the football players for a while, anyway.

For example, I know of two or three stars now under contract to the new league who in addition to healthy bonuses are to get \$10,000 a year. And Paul Brown, the ex-Ohio State coach now with Cleveland, has a long-time contract at \$25,000 a year. But Paul is a coach, not a competitor. There will be no pro football player making one-fourth of what Byron Nelson gets.

In two major baseball leagues the average pay is from \$7,000 to \$8,000. So far as the stars go there will be a big jump next spring when Greenberg, DiMaggio, Gordon, Dickey, Wakefield and a few others will get from \$20,000 to \$55,000. Big league payrolls will be far different in 1946 than they were in 1945 where all attendance records were broken with rather cheap seats.

25 years ago...

Postmaster Francis J. Mooney has asked that Valentines for local delivery be mailed by Thursday, Feb. 11, so that all may be assured of their delivery on Valentine's Day.

Valentine cards, whether sealed or unsealed, require a minimum of six cents postage, and should bear the ZIP Code number, not only in the address but also on the return address, as this assists in the delivery of the cards.

Postmaster Mooney points out that the volume of Valentines is second only to that of Christmas cards. Since many of the Valentines are for local delivery, the Postmaster asks that patrons deposit cards in the Local mail drop at the main office and stations, thereby assuring faster handling and delivery.

Outside of the New England States, Valentines should be mailed via air mail, no later than Feb. 9.

Valentines, for New England States, other than those for local delivery, should be mailed no later than Feb. 10.

10 years ago...

PMS Topic For Healthy Issues

As part of its wellness education series, Healthy Issues, Bon Secours Hospital will present a community education program entitled "Premenstrual Syndrome (PMS): A Real Condition," on Feb. 11 at 7:30 p.m. in the hospital auditorium, 70 East St., Methuen.

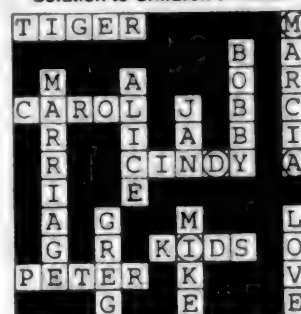
Premenstrual syndrome is a disorder with a variety of symptoms that affects 30 to 50 percent of women ages 25 to 40. It is a condition that has often been misunderstood and misdiagnosed.

Sanford A. Kaufman, M.D., psychiatrist from Andover, will examine the symptoms, discuss the emotional impact and review methods of coping with PMS.

There is an admission fee and preregistration is advised. For complete registration information on this and other Bon Secours Hospital community education programs, contact the marketing department.

► *Down the Years is compiled by Townsman intern Carly Nelson.*

Solution to Children's Puzzle



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PLANNING BOARD

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held on Tuesday, February 27, 1996, at 8:00 p.m., in the Third Floor Conference Room, Town Office Building, Bartlett Street, on a petition by Gary and John Kelesian for a Site Plan Special Permit to renovate an existing 16,320 square foot building for retail and consumer uses. Property is located at 19-21 Lupine Road, identified as Lots 22 and 22A on Assessor's Map 55. The petition may be examined in the Planning Department between the hours of 8:30 a.m., and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

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February 8 & 15, 1996

TOWN OF ANDOVER



PLANNING BOARD

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held on Tuesday, February 27, 1996, at 9:00 p.m., in the Third Floor Conference Room, Town Office Building, Bartlett Street, pursuant to MGL, Chapter 40A, Section 5, on a petition of S. Joseph Hoffman and others to amend Section IV.B. 11A of the Andover Zoning By-Law to allow convenience stores and the like, including cleaner of clothing establishments, in the Industrial ID zoning district. The petition may be examined in the Planning Department between the hours of 8:30 a.m., and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

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LEGAL NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: JEAN S. HOGAN-CAMP, Respondent:
GREETINGS:

YOU ARE COMANDED to appear and answer before the Honorable Fred Garza of the County Court At Law #4, Hidalgo County, Texas, at the Courthouse of said County in Edinburg, Texas, at or before 10:00 o'clock a.m. of the Monday next after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this citation, the date for answer being the 11th day of March, 1996, then and there to answer the petition of BEN T. HOGANCAMP, Petitioner, filed in said Court on the 27th of July A.D., 1995 against JEAN S. HOGANCAMP, Respondent, and said suit being number CC-048-95-4 on the docket of said Court, and entitled "In The Matter Of the Marriage Of BEN T. HOGANCAMP and JEAN S. HOGANCAMP," the nature of which suit is a request to: DIVORCE

Petitioner is represented by: Hon. A. Peter Thaddeus, Jr., whose address is 709 North Main Street, McAllen, Texas 78501

The Court has authority in this suit to enter any judgment or decree dissolving the marriage and providing for the division of property which will be binding on you.

The Court has authority to enter any judgment or decree in the best interest of the following child: N/A

This authority includes the authority to terminate the parent-child relationship, the determination of paternity and the appointment of a conservator with authority to consent to the adoption of the child.

The Officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and Given under my hand and seal of said Court at Edinburg, Texas, this 26th day of January, 1996.

Pauline G. Gonzalez,
District Clerk
P.O. BOX 87
Edinburg, Texas 78540

By
Ernesto Cano, Deputy
February 8, 1996

ACCE has completed one full cycle of the Zodiac, a 12-year span:

ACCE celebrating a benchmark birthday Sunday

By Elsie Wu

Andover Chinese Cultural Exchange member

It is the Year of the Rat once more. Twelve years ago, in 1984, the Andover Chinese Cultural Exchange held its first New Year celebration. That year began the group's program of ethnic pride and awareness and cultural involvement with the community and schools.

Over the course of 12 years, passing through the traditional 12 animals of the Chinese Zodiac, ACCE

has completed one full cycle.

Once more the Year of the Rat will be celebrated, this time at Old Town Hall on Sunday, Feb. 11, from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Officially, Chinese New Year arrives Monday, Feb. 19. Old Town Hall is a fitting location for a number of reasons, according to ACCE president Evelyn Kuo.

Family membership has grown, and children involved in the dance troupe require more room.

More important is that ACCE has twice used Old Town Hall to present

community-wide cultural exchanges - China Night in 1990, the Year of the Horse, and China Festival during this current Year of the Pig. China Festival was a collaborative effort with the Andover Historical Society. Both events featured food, traditional folk arts, music and dance.

These contributions and others earned ACCE recognition in *Andover, A Century of Change 1896-1996* by Eleanor Richardson.

ACCE is pleased to be sharing its benchmark year with a town that has welcomed its involvement.

Air quality at the library is a problem

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half hours a day."

It is also a problem the library staff has been living with for years.

"I went over there about three years ago regarding problems and municipal maintenance called in people to do the testing," said Everett Penney, town health director. "I think they had it done by a private firm because it was faster."

Jim Brightney, maintenance director, said in the library's project request that "studies have shown

that an inadequate supply of fresh air is mixed into the circulation of air throughout the library."

But this is not exclusively a library problem.

Mr. Penney said poor indoor air quality is becoming a common problem due to energy conservation efforts that have caused building to be "buttoned up too well." Because of this, levels of pollutants can build up to unhealthy levels.

"We've had problems here at town hall, we've had complaints from the fire department and from the library.

Over the past three to five years we've had many complaints from different parts of the town offices and buildings," said Mr. Penney. "I would expect that these problems would continue as time goes on."

The state even tested for and found an elevated level of carbon dioxide in the bottom floor of town offices, where the health department itself is located, he said.

"Essentially what we've done here when it gets real bad is to open the windows and take in air that way," said Mr. Penney.

LEGAL NOTICES

TOWN OF ANDOVER



PLANNING BOARD

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held on Tuesday, February 27, 1996, at 9:30 p.m., in the Third Floor Conference Room, Town Office Building, Bartlet Street, pursuant to MGL, Chapter 40A, Section 5, on a petition of Kevin Callery and others to rezone certain property situated at 66 Poor Street from Apartment APT to Single Family SRA, said property owned now or formerly by Jorge & Susan Schwarz and further identified as Parcel 94 on Assessor's Map 52. The petition may be examined in the Planning Department between the hours of 8:30 a.m., and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

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Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be convened on Tuesday, February 27, 1996, at 8:30 p.m., in the Third Floor Conference Room, Town Office Building, Bartlet Street, to decide whether or not the filing fee schedule under Section III of the Rules and Regulations Governing the Subdivision of Land should be amended to increase said fees.

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Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be convened on Tuesday, February 27, 1996, at 8:30 p.m., in the Third Floor Conference Room, Town Office Building, Bartlet Street, to decide whether or not the filing fee schedule under Section 4.0 Rules Governing Special Permits should be amended to increase said fees.

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Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held on Tuesday, February 27, 1996, at 7:30 p.m., in the Third Floor Conference Room, Town Office Building, Bartlet Street, on a petition by William J. Callahan for a Site Plan Special Permit to construct a three-story building totaling 116,907 square feet for office/research and development use. Property is located at 300 Federal Street, identified as Lot 3 on Assessor's Map 144. The petition may be examined in the Planning Department between the hours of 8:30 a.m., and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

If you are entitled to the benefits of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended and you object to such foreclosure you or your attorney should file a written appearance and answer in said court at Boston on or before the 18th day of March 1996, or you may be forever barred from claiming that such foreclosure is invalid under said act.

Witness, ROBERT V. CAUCHON, Chief Justice of said Court this 2nd day of February, 1996

Charles W. Trombly, Jr.
Recorder
February 8, 1996

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Messages

♥ ♥ ♥

J.R.

Be my Valentine forever.
Love, Ken.

♥ ♥ ♥

TO RU-RU: Happy Valentine's Day to the greatest Mother.
Love Jay

♥ ♥ ♥

Happy St. Patty's Day to Katie and Pugsley.
Love, D.P.

♥ ♥ ♥

TO LITTLE MEEK: Happy Sweet 16th Birthday on Valentine's Day, with heartfelt love, Mom and Dad.

♥ ♥ ♥

BABY DOLL: You are the sweetest of the sweet!
Love Danny (Please).

♥ ♥ ♥

ROSES ARE RED, Violets are blue, I sure do LOVE all of you! To the Isabelle & Stoessel Families.
Love, KAI.

♥ ♥ ♥

TO MIMI: Happy Valentine's Day. Thanks for taking good care of us. Abby & Carter.

♥ ♥ ♥

To Karen, Rich, Justin and Kris:
Happy Valentine's Day to the Loves of my life.
Love, Mom.

♥ ♥ ♥

Dear Norm,
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Violets are blue,
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1 Zada B. Wickliffe bought Unit 307, 16 Balmoral St. for \$129,900 from Lillian J. Belyea.

2 William T. Freeman bought 10 Buttonwood Drive, Lot 21, for \$827,000 from Fieldstone Meadows Development Corp. The mortgage is with Carlson Mortgage Co.

3 Cormier Andover Construction Corp. bought Lots, 1, 3 Etc., Meadow View Lane for \$1,650,000 from Yvon Cormier Construction Corp.

4 Jane B. Caveney bought 8 Shadow Lane for \$515,000 from Frocone Realty Trust. The mortgage is with World Savings Bank.

5 Michael P. Drozdick bought 10 West Parish Drive, Lot 2, for \$282,000 from Dale R.

Browne. The mortgage is with Andover Bank.

6 Scott A. Rushford bought 17 Cherrywood Circle, Lot 20, for \$328,500 from Mark Macudzinski. The mortgage is with BayBank Boston, N.A.

7 Stephen K. Atenico bought 16 Balmoral St., Unit 421, for \$57,000 from Robert Timothy Hausman. The mortgage is with Patriot Funding Limited Partnership.

8 Mohammad Arif bought Colonial Drive, Unit D3-4, for \$31,900 from Colonial Drive Corp. The mortgage is with Cambridge Portuguese Credit Union.

Source: Essex County Registry of Deeds, Lawrence branch.

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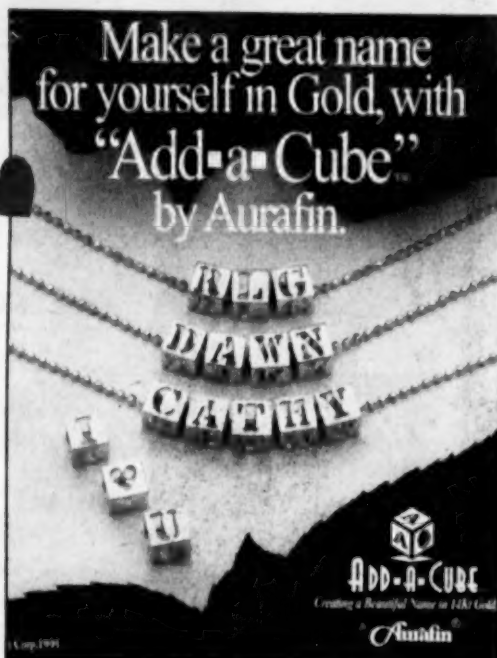
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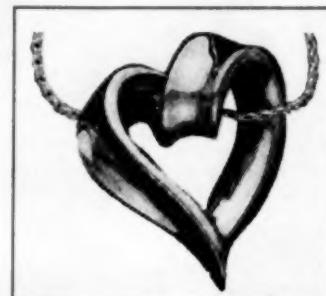
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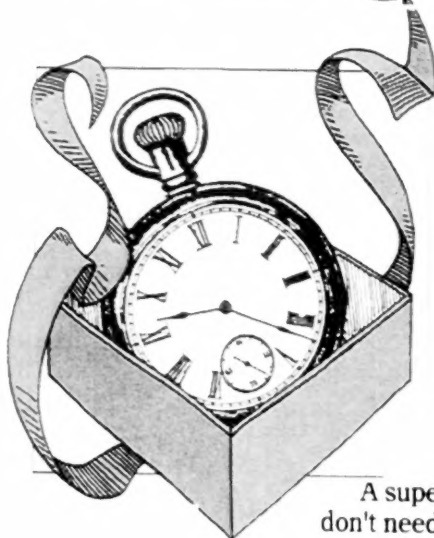
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| 1. Edge/Vacuum Carpeting | 12. Disinfect Bathroom Fixtures |
| 2. Vacuum Carpeted Stairs | 13. Wash Bathroom Floors |
| 3. Vacuum Furniture | 14. Make Beds/Change Linens |
| 4. Dust Furniture | 15. Change Towels |
| 5. Dust Mop Hard Surface Floors | 16. Wash Kitchen Floors |
| 6. Remove Cobwebs | 17. Clean Kitchen Sinks |
| 7. Dust Sills & Ledges | 18. Damp Wipe Cabinet Doors |
| 8. Dust Wall Ornaments | 19. Clean Outside of Appliances |
| 9. Pick Up & Straighten | 20. Load Dishwasher |
| 10. Clean Entry Door Windows | 21. Wash Counters |
| 11. Clean & Disinfect Tubs & Showers | 22. Remove Trash |

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